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BRITAIN TO PROTECT COMMERCE RIGHTS IN THE FAR EAST

"JEWS NOT ADMITTED"

IN ALL SHOPS in Munich
BERLIN, Nov. 14.
the following notice is
now prominently displayed:
"NO JEWS ADMITTED."
Youthful Nazis, raiding
Jewish homes to-day, for-
cibly seized the Iron Crosses
won by several Jews during
the Great War.—United
Press.

Premier's Sympathy With Jew Victims

LONDON, Nov. 14.
REPLYING TO A
QUESTION in the House
of Commons, Mr. Chamber-
lain declared that he
regretted the press reports
of the action taken against
the Jews in Germany
appeared to be substan-
tially correct, as these had
now been to some extent
corroborated by Dr. Josef
Goebbels.

No one would want to defend
the senseless crime committed in
Paris, but there would be wide-
spread sympathy here for those
being made to suffer so severely
for it, he said.

Mr. Chamberlain added that the
British Charge d'Affaires in Berlin
has been instructed to address a strong
protest to the German Government
regarding the recent articles in the
German press associating former
Ministers and members of the House
of Commons with recent events.

Mr. George Lansbury asked whether
it was not possible to consult
with the High Commissioners in the
various dominions to see whether it
were possible to find a place in the
British Commonwealth for German
Jews.

Mr. Chamberlain declared that it
was not a matter for the British Gov-
ernment, but he had no doubt they
would be taking into consideration
any possible way in which they could
assist those people.—Reuter.

WARSAW CLASHES

Warsaw, Nov. 14.
Serious clashes between Polish and
Jewish students occurred at the Var-
saw machine-building high school to-
day, when Jewish students refused to
occupy the seats specially provided
for them.

The lectures were suspended until
further notice.—United Press.

FORBIDDEN TO LECTURE

Berlin, Nov. 14.
The Minister of Education, Herr
Bernhard Rust, has telegraphically

Double-Deck Bus Plan Threat to Kowloon Trees

NATHAN ROAD'S trees or double-decker buses.
It appears that Kowloon cannot have both.

The Kowloon Motor Bus Company,
which operates all Kowloon bus
services, has put forward plans for
the introduction of double-decker
buses on the principal routes on the
mainland.

These buses cannot operate, how-
ever, unless a large number of trees
lining Nathan Road, are removed.
The Traffic Department is believed
to be in favour of the removal of a
considerable number of them for
traffic reasons apart from the pro-
posed introduction of double-decker

buses.
The Kowloon Residents' Associa-
tion is almost certain to insist, how-
ever, that the trees remain.
Although the K.R.A. has received
no reply to its suggestion that trees
should be planted along other road-
ways in Kowloon, it is understood
that traffic officials are opposed to the
plan.
Government is still considering the
matter, and has called for a report
from the Botanical and Forestry
Department.

Prepared to Associate With United States

LONDON, Nov. 14.

IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS to-day, Mr. H. Sutcliffe (Cons.)
drew attention to President Roosevelt's warning to Japan with regard
to American trade with China, and asked whether the British
Government would associate itself with the American action, with the
object equally of protecting British trade.

Mr. R. A. Butler replied: "Yes."

Replying to another question, Mr. Butler said the Government had had
no communication with the United States regarding the re-assembly of the
Brussels Conference, or the Nine-Power Treaty signatories.

BOMBERS, NOT PURSUITS

Commentator's Plea For
British Air Force

LONDON, Nov. 14.

Bombers instead of pursuit
planes was the demand put for-
ward to-day by Captain Paine,
the political correspondent of
the Daily Telegraph in an article
sharply attacking the new plans
of British aerial re-armament
drawn up by Sir Kingsley Wood,
the British Air Minister.

Captain Paine also puts forward the
demand that the British air force
should not only be as strong as that
of any single other nation, but should
have a wider range of action.

It is entirely wrong to suppose, he
says, that the role which the air
weapon will play in the future, will
be in the main restricted to defence.
Certain weather conditions make it
difficult for anti-aircraft guns to place
bombs under effective
fire, quite apart from the fact that
the latest types of bombers are able
to elude fighting machines.

Drawing attention to the danger of
massed air raids on English seaports
which are particularly difficult to
defend by anti-aircraft guns and
fighting machines, Captain Paine de-
mands an air force powerful enough
to enable Britain to cripple the
enemy's capacity for an attack; that
is to say to make it possible to bomb
his factories and ammunition depots.
In this connection he points out that
Britain has the great advantage over
Germany in having Canada as a base
for production.

An air supremacy either alone, or
if that cannot be realized quickly
enough together with France, has be-
come, he says, the prime necessity for
Britain.—Trans-Ocean.

Instructed all German universities to
forbid Jews to lecture, or even to
enter university grounds.
A law is being prepared, according
to which, in future no Jew will be
admitted to the German universities.
—United Press.

Mr. Arthur Henderson (Lab.)
asked the Government if it was
still prepared to co-operate with
the United States in re-affirming
the principles of the Nine-Power
Treaty, and whether it would co-
operate with the United States
on the basis that the Sino-
Japanese dispute was a matter
of continuing concern to them
as signatories of the treaty.

Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary
for Foreign Affairs, referred Mr.
Henderson to his speech in the debate
on November 9 as regards the first
part of the question. He said that the
British Government was at all times
prepared to maintain close touch with
the United States in matters of
common concern.

Mr. Henderson asked whether, in
view of the fact that the Japanese
Government was acting in flagrant
opposition and contravention to this
treaty, if it was not about time, after
18 months, that something should be
done.

Mr. Butler said he thought he made
the position clear on November 9.
Mr. Henderson asked whether Mr.
Butler then was merely dealing with
the question of the Open Door, and
should not only be dealt with, but
also the question of the independence
and territorial integrity of China.

Mr. Butler again referred Mr.
Henderson to his November 9 speech,
and said he thought Mr. Henderson
would, perhaps, find it wider and
better than he thought.

Mr. Noel Baker asked if Mr. Butler
would state whether the Government
would stand by the principles of the
Nine-Power Treaty, to which Mr.
Butler replied: "Yes Sir."—Reuter.

K.L.M. Plane Crashes As Taking Off

Amsterdam, Nov. 14.

Three members of the crew and
two passengers were killed when a
K.L.M. air-liner from Berlin crashed
as it was about to land at the Schiphol
aerodrome to-day.

The two passengers killed were
both Germans, and eleven other
occupants of the plane which carried
a crew of five, and 14 passengers,
were sent to the hospital, including a
New Zealand woman, who was seri-
ously injured, two London men, and
a Canadian.

Low clouds hindered the pilot, and
the machine crashed nose-down, and
was completely destroyed.
The chief pilot, M. Duimelaar was
seriously hurt.

The passengers comprised four
Britons, eight Germans and two
Czechs.
The plane, which was a Douglas
type, did not catch on fire.
—Reuter.

P. I. COMMONWEALTH ANNIVERSARY

To-day being the third anniversary
of the Philippines Commonwealth Day,
the local Filipino community are
holding a luncheon party at the Fili-
pino Club from 12.30 to 2 p.m.
National dishes will be served.

ARABS TO PUBLISH STATEMENT

Defining Position
In Palestine

CAIRO, Nov. 14.

BRITISH PRESS reports con-
cerning the readiness of the
Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and
other members of the former
Arab High Committee, to
negotiate with the British
Government, and to take part
in the projected round table con-
ference, are declared in circles
close to the Grand Mufti to be
inaccurate.

These circles affirm that the Grand
Mufti sees in the British Govern-
ment's demand for the exclusion of
accredited Arab leaders from the
London conference, on the pretext
that they are associated with
terrorism, the British Government's
determination to deprive the Arab
movement in Palestine of its real
leaders, in the hope thereby, of de-
feating the movement.

It is added, in the same circles, that
England evidently hopes to achieve
her objects in Palestine with the
help of the pronounced Anglophile
Arabs like Amir Abdallah, but this
hope, it is stressed, is doomed to dis-
appointment.

On the other hand, it is pointed
out, the Grand Mufti and other Arab
leaders would be prepared to
negotiate with the British Govern-
ment on the basis of the minimum
demands put forward by the Pan-
Islamic Congress in Cairo.

It is further announced that Arab
leaders will shortly publish a state-
ment regarding the latest British pro-
posals.—Trans-Ocean.

RECORD-BREAKING PLANES AT BRISBANE

The three Wellesley bombers which
made the record non-stop flight from
Egypt to Port Darwin have arrived
in Brisbane.

Most H.K. Children Are Named John, Patricia

John is the most popular boy's name in Hongkong, while
London's first choice of Mary and Scotland's Margaret have, in
Hongkong, given way in popularity to Patricia.

These interesting facts have been
discovered by the "Telegraph" fol-
lowing a compilation of local chil-
dren's names supplied by the Regis-
trar of Births. These data have only
been taken for non-Chinese children
as from January 1, 1938.

Patricia leads in popularity being
the name given to thirteen children
in Hongkong since the beginning of
the year.

Anne, Ann and Anna, if grouped
together, would have held first
position as they number 14.

GERMAN COLONIES

Australia Won't Give up Mandate

CANBERRA, Nov. 14.

MR. J. A. LYONS, the Prime Minister, has issued
a statement declaring that under no circumstances would
Australia agree to surrender her mandate to former
German New Guinea.

The Minister for the Exterior, Mr.
W. M. Hughes, in supporting the
Prime Minister's declaration, said to-
day that it could leave no room for
doubt regarding Australia's intention.
Australia, he said, would have to
make great efforts to defend the
territory against any aggressor.

The declaration will be followed by a
development of the territory, in
which valuable iron ore deposits
were recently discovered, to the
fullest extent.

COMMONS ASSURANCES

LONDON, Nov. 14.
Asked in the House of Commons
to give an assurance that no trans-
ference of the mandates of Tangan-
yika and other African territories
formerly under German rule would
be effected until adequate financial
compensation was given enterprisers
and investors who had been engaged
in developing the territories, Mr.
Chamberlain referred the question
to Lord Baldwin's speech in 1935,
in which he said that no British ter-
ritory or territory under British pro-
tection or mandate, would be trans-
ferred from British sovereignty or
authority without the fullest regard
being paid to interests in all sections
of the population in the territories
concerned.

Mr. E. A. Pilkington (Cons.)
said: "Does he not think that the recent
happenings in Germany made it
abundantly clear that Germany is
not yet fit to undertake the welfare
of native populations?" (Cheers)
Mr. Chamberlain gave no reply.
Asked whether Parliament would
be consulted before any discussions

were initiated with foreign Powers
respecting the transfer of mandated
or colonial territories, Mr. Chamber-
lain said that Lord Baldwin stated in
1936 that the Government would not
commit itself to any settlement with-
out giving the House a full oppor-
tunity for discussion.

Replying to the suggestion that
already there were misgivings that
the House might be presented with a
fait accompli, Mr. Chamberlain said
he thought his assurance ought to be
sufficient.—Reuter.

Funeral Of Marseilles Fire Victims Long Procession Is Moving Sight

Marseilles, Nov. 14.
The funeral of the 73 victims of
the catastrophic fire in the famous
Boulevard des Capucines took place to-
day. Ten thousand soldiers and
policemen had been called out to
prevent any possible untoward in-
cidents in the form of Communist
demonstrations.

The funeral procession was over
three kilometers in length, and two
hours elapsed before the entire pro-
cession reached the cemetery of St.
Pierre.

The spectacle of the long line of
hearses, bearing coffins which dis-
appeared from view amid countless
wreaths, was most moving.
Walking in the procession were
representatives of President Lebrun,
and the Government, as well as all
leading ecclesiastical, military, naval
and civil authorities.

Upwards of half a million people,
many of whom had come from
various parts of the South of France,
lined the route.

At the cemetery, speeches were
delivered by the Bishop of Marseilles,
Monsieur Delany, and by the
Minister of the Interior, M. Sarraut.—
Trans-Ocean.

341 Passengers And Crew Saved At Sea

Tokyo, Nov. 15.

Mengre Japanese reports state that
the Ura Maru on Monday picked up
341 passengers and the crew of the
Kyodo Maru, near the Suma Island,
on route to Tainiao, from Dalim,
after fire had swept the Kyodo's hold.
—United Press.

Anglo- Italian Pact

IN OPERATION
TO-MORROW

LONDON, Nov. 14.
MR. NEVILLE
CHAMBERLAIN, in a
written reply in the
House of Commons to-
day announced that
the Anglo-Italian
agreement would come
into force on November
16.

Mr. Chamberlain also
intimated that the British
Charge d'Affaires had re-
quested that the atten-
tion of the competent
authorities in Berlin be
drawn to the rights of
British residents in Ger-
many. The Charge d'Aff-
aires had also reserved the
right to present claims for
damage.

There were many supple-
mentary questions. Mr. Noel
Baker asked the Premier to
endeavour to find some means,
either alone, or in collaboration
with other Powers, whereby he
would make known to the Ger-
man Government the deep
feeling of hostility which has been
aroused in Britain among all sections
of the people by the action taken
against the Jews.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that there
were many means of making that
known; in fact he did not think there
could be any doubt about it.
Asked whether the Government
would show the feeling of the
country by attempting to do some-
thing for the victims, the Premier
declared that the question could not
be answered without notice.

The Prime Minister gave the same
answer to the question whether he
would consider having consultations
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LATE NEWS

ONE BRITON AMONG THE AIR HOSTESSES, THE— Girls Who Cross Europe To Work THEIR JOB IS TO TALK

—in Many Tongues

—and ALL At 9st.

When Miss Laurie Steele, slim 26-years-old brunette, stepped into a Dutch K.L.M. air liner at Croydon recently, she was entering not a mere means of conveyance, but her place of employment.

She is the only British stewardess serving on a Continental air route. Among the petite, polyglot, trim-uniformed "air hostesses" who have become such familiar figures at European airports, she is the only one speaking English as her mother-tongue.

There are, you see, two opposing schools of thought on the subject of feminine attendance in the air.

WHY SHE IS UNIQUE

Those in favour hold they exercise a soothing influence on nervous passengers, and with their social grace, induce an easy, friendly atmosphere *en voyage*; those against contend that men make the more efficient stewards and all-purpose attendants.

And since British air lines operating Continental services are numbered among "those against," you will understand just why Miss Steele is unique.

"Am I lucky to get the job?" she exclaimed to me, just before setting off for Amsterdam and her aerial duties. "I was air hostess in Australia for a year, but I wanted to see the European capitals and keep my job in the air at the same time. It seemed a hopeless prospect, but I approached the K.L.M. agent in Sydney on the off-chance.

"It means I have to be in the air six days a week instead of having three to myself, as in Australia, but it is worth it, if you love flying and enjoy constantly meeting and doing your best to help fresh people."

The feminine attendants of the skies are first and foremost vivacious girls with a real love of flying and a strict sense of duty; add to that the intelligence and conversational powers of a woman of the world, the linguistic ability of a professor of languages, the sympathy of a nurse, the domesticity of a housewife—and only then will you understand why so many call but so few are chosen for the position of air hostess.

To restrict things even more, only girls below nine stone in weight need apply.

Let's talk to some more of them...

"Romance? Oh No!"
Margit Keckova, appointed out of 400 applicants to Prague-London service of Czechoslovak C.L.S. Line, who, at 23, not only speaks her father's Czech and her mother's French but English, German, and

Russian too:
"I have flown 200,000 miles since the beginning of the year, and loved every mile of it," she said.

"Men passengers are generally more nervous than women. The women just read, or look out of the window; the men just talk and talk, and it's part of my job to entertain them."

"Romance?" she gurgled, "No-body has ever asked me to marry yet."

"Pinks? Oh!" (with a dashing smile at the type of that ilk who had brought her from Prague) "I know too much about them. I think they have a wife in every airport!"

"30 WEDDINGS"

Ann Becker, of the Royal Dutch line, displays a double row of pearly teeth every time she smiles—which makes the pilots talk about toothpaste advertisements.

"These cheeky devil pilots," she said to me in mock disgust.

"Our stewardesses generally leave the service after two or three years, most of them to get married."



ARMISTICE DAY WEDDING. The Rev. Victor Dixon and his bride, the former Miss Emily Blanche Foulke, after their recent marriage at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.—Staff Photographer.

"But not often to pilots. Sometimes to members of the ground staff or officials of the line. Never to passengers. Romance and business don't mix in the air."

Lou Van Der Meulen is at 24 a "veteran" of the K.L.M. Line. She has been with it for more than three years.

"About 30 hostesses have left to get married in my time, but I can't see anything like that happening to me. I should have to leave the service, and I'm much too keen on flying."

"When I first became a hostess I was told to think of the plane as my home and the passengers as my guests, and that is how I try to behave."

"I used to be a nurse in a children's clinic, and had never flown until I took on this job."

Footnote.—The attitude of Imperial Airways to air hostesses is this (in the words of an official): "We consider men to be the more efficient and welcome attendants. After all, you never meet a stewardess in a train."

Rancher Earl Sells Castle

Avon Castle, lovely Hampshire home of the 24-years-old rancher Earl of Egmont, is about to change hands.

Negotiations for its sale to Mr. H. J. Colebrook, a London surveyor, have been proceeding for some time, and an announcement about the deal will probably be made shortly.

Mr. Colebrook has offices in Old Burlington-street, W., and lives at Fulmer Hall, Buckinghamshire. He is Master of the New Forest Buckhounds, whose kennels are at Brockhurst, only ten miles from Avon Castle and its 1,300 acres of beautiful meadows and woodland.

Several bids, the highest being about £40,000, have been made in recent years for the property, but have been refused.

It has been suggested recently that the market price is between £70,000 and £80,000.

MEALS IN KITCHEN

White and turreted, Avon Castle will always be associated with the tragedy and romance of the life of the present Earl of Egmont, Frederick George Moore Percival, who is now living in the wide open spaces of Canada with his wife and baby son. With his father, he lived modestly in the castle for a few years after the courts had decided, in 1930, that their claim to the earldom was valid.

They used only three or four of the 40 rooms, did their own housework, cooked for themselves, and had meals in a kitchen.

Six years ago the father was killed in a motor smash. Frantic with grief, the young earl forsook the castle, and went to work as a paid farmhand in Calgary, Canada. He then married his cousin, Miss Ann Geraldine Moodie, who—with the blood of the Royal Stuarts of Scotland in her veins—was working as a dentist's assistant.

They visited England early this year but they did not settle in the castle which has been in the possession of the Egmont family since 1912, when the ninth earl bought it.

Wife Thought Husband In Gaol—Met Him in Cafe

After going from friend to friend for three weeks in the hope of raising £250, which might secure her husband's release from prison, the fair-haired artist wife of 50-years-old Major Gerald Stapley recently set out for the Old Bailey from her little caravan at Thames Ditton, Surrey.

She had failed in her efforts and she went to have a last glance at her husband before—as she thought—he was sentenced.

Stapley, formerly a major in the Royal Artillery, had, at the previous session, pleaded guilty to obtaining credit while an undischarged bankrupt, and reference was made to his former £10-a-week flat in Mayfair. The Common Sergeant, Mr. Cecil Whiteley, K.C., postponed sentence until yesterday, remarking that he might be influenced if Stapley paid his debts.

EMPIRE NEWS MINING EMPLOYMENT IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney.
The years since the Great War have shown curious fluctuations in employment figures in Australia's mining industries.

In 1935, the latest year for which official figures are available, there were nearly 70,000 persons engaged in mining of all kinds. Of these 33,113 were engaged in gold, 8,120 in silver, lead and spelter, 1,898 in copper, 4,474 in tin, and 10,633 in coal mining.

The total figure represents 988 per 100,000 of the population.

In 1901 miners numbered 2,992 per 100,000. In 1911 the figure was 2,109 while 10 years later, it had fallen to 974. In 1931, it was 984.

In some types of mining, for example, gold, silver and lead, zinc, copper and tin, the natural supplies of the country have been gradually depleted. Other mining industries have been affected by the development of overseas competition and the growth of mechanisation.

In gold mining, however, the increased price of gold has led to a surprising increase in the absorption of labour during the last five or six years. Even so, the figures for 1935 in this branch of the mining industry are very far removed from the 1901 figures, when 70,972 persons were employed.

SOUTH AFRICA

NEW ARCHBISHOP ENTHRONED

Cape Town.
The Rt. Rev. J. R. Darbyshire, formerly Bishop of Glasgow and Galloway, was recently enthroned Archbishop of Cape Town.

The new archbishop, who is 59, was vice-principal of Ridley Hall, Cambridge, from 1908 to 1913, and vicar of the Cathedral Church, Sheffield, from 1922 to 1931. He was consecrated Bishop of Glasgow and Galloway in 1931.

Voter told he was dead.—Because he was described as "deceased" in the voters' list, Mr. August Meyers, a United Party election agent, was not allowed to vote for his party's candidate, Mr. H. Abrahamson, who was contesting the Weenan, Natal, constituency. Mr. Abrahamson was returned, and had Mr. Meyers been allowed to vote for him, his majority would have been exactly 2,000.

BURMA

PROTEST AGAINST EMERGENCY ACT

Rangoon.
The enactment of the Rangoon Emergency Security Act by the Governor of Burma, Sir Archibald Cochrane, has been characterised as "a grave constitutional blunder" by the Myochit party, a prominent Parliamentary Opposition group.

The Myochit party has sent a long memorandum to the Secretary for India and Burma, the Marquess of Zetland, urging the annulment of the Act.

The Act, which followed the recent rioting in Rangoon, gives police officers certain powers of arrest without warrant.

Gas Mask Fraud: Villagers Paid Gang 2s. 6d. Each

West country police are investigating a big gas mask fraud. A gang of men have travelled through country districts ahead of air raid warnings informing villagers that in order to get a gas mask they must pay 2s. 6d. in advance.

They are believed to have defrauded villagers of a large sum of money. Police have descriptions of some of the men.

Mrs. Ireland, of Radpole, near Weymouth said: "A man called and told me that there was 2s. 6d. to-day. I refused to pay until I got my gas mask, but many other people I know paid."

Mr. Bernard Gillis, counsel for Stapley, stated in court yesterday that Mrs. Stapley had been unable to raise the money in so short a time, and that this was Stapley's first offence under the bankruptcy laws.

"TOO WONDERFUL"

Describing his conduct as disgraceful, and warning him that if there were any complaints in future he would be sent to prison, Mr. Whiteley bound him over for three years.

About the same time Mrs. Stapley, and faced, had arrived at a restaurant near the court, and there she was amazed to come face to face with her husband. He had been released without her knowing it.

The surprise was almost too much for her, but she rushed forward embraced him, and exclaimed, "Darling, this is too wonderful!"

X-Ray confirms cure OF GASTRIC ULCERS!

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Actress' Quest for Ghost Bed

In the long gallery of Rufford Abbey, Nottingham, haunted by the wraiths of a monk, a child and an elderly woman who died there centuries ago, hundreds of people recently watched the break-up of another great Dukeries household. The home of the Savilles for three centuries yielded up the first batch of its famous collection, accumulated from every corner of Europe.

Beds in which kings have slept, and specimens of every kind of workmanship, ranging from tapestry to armour, will find new owners among millionaires, actresses and dealers.

Miss Frances Day, the actress, arrived to bid for a bed which, says tradition, is haunted by the ghost of a child murdered in the Abbey centuries ago.

She was disappointed. The bed will not be offered until later.

One of many purchases by Mrs. van der Elst was a sedan chair for which she paid 25 guineas. Next month the 15,000-acre estate, the 500-acre park, the abbey itself with chapel and crypt, many farms, and the greater part of six Nottinghamshire villages will be offered for sale in lots.

At the end of the session 220 lots of a total of 3,000 had realised more than £6,000 for Sir Albert Ball, the present owner, who bought the estate from Lady Saville and her 10-year-old son, Lord Saville.

An oak coffin fetched 150 guineas, a refectory table 120 guineas, and eight Chippendale chairs 400 guineas.

GRACIE'S "IDEAL" CONDUCTOR

Gracie Fields will have Louis Levy, famed for his broadcasts of "Music from the Music," and "You Shall Have Music," as guest conductor while she makes her Tribute Performance for the London Hospital Bicentenary Appeal, in the Albert Hall.

She considers him to be the "ideal" conductor to accompany her singing, and he is doing so at her special request. He will be going to the concert straight from a broadcast.

Some of Britain's greatest artists are taking part as a contribution to the Appeal, at the invitation of the *News Chronicle*. With Gracie they form an outstanding programme.

There will be Reginald Foort, the world-famous organist; Harold Williams, the oratorio baritone; Walter Widdop, the dramatic tenor; and Lance Dossor, the coming pianoforte celebrity.

Voronoff Talks Of Brain-Oil

Serge Voronoff, high priest of rejuvenation, has worked for years perfecting his method of grafting monkey glands so that men may live 150 years. His offer was youth for age. Hundreds of people have found it irresistibly attractive.

Convinced that some of his patients may add half a century to man's maximum span, Voronoff is now leaving this work to his imitators, calls it too easy.

Instead, he is working on what he thinks is a more difficult, more worthwhile task of making dull children brainy.

In London recently on a brief visit he talked at the Dorchester about his life's work. Though Voronoff has never experimented on himself, he is a fine figure of a man, stands 6ft. 3in., and at sixty-nine still has the wiry body of an athlete.

"There is a limit to age," he said, and that is an admission for him, for once he thought that by monkeys man might rival Methuselah. Then he began to talk about his work with children whose development, both physically and mentally, had been arrested, for whom no cure was known. He grew more excited. Hands, arms, were flung in spacious gestures, eyes shone.

A MIRACLE, SAYS HE

"What I have done, others can do. What is certain is that a vast number of unfortunate children may be restored to health and intelligence by this method of grafting."

Such arrested development is caused, Voronoff said, by failure of the thyroid gland to function. He called the thyroid "brain-oil."

His first case, details of which have just been given to the surgeons of France, goes back to 1915. A twenty-year-old youth had never grown up, stood only three feet six, "was, in fact, a complete idiot." No apes were available for grafting, so the boy's mother gave the left half of her own thyroid gland.

Another graft with monkey gland was made later. In two years the youth looked and was a normal intelligent man.

"That similar thyroid graft truly worked a miracle," declared the surgeon.



Mr. Fan Shiu-nam, Superintendent of the Mongkok Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade and one of the nurses photographed with the cups and shield won by the Division.—Yuen Chun Studio.

"Radio Bishop" Of 38 Will Be Sunday Censor

Dr. James William Welch, 38-year-old Principal of St. John's College, York, is to succeed the Rev. F. A. Iremonger as Religion Director of the B.B.C. as from April 1, 1939.

In effect he will be Bishop of Broadcasting.

He will not only control all broadcast services from London, the Regions, and the Empire, but an important extension of his work involves the virtual censorship of all Sunday programmes.

Nothing will be allowed on the air on that day which has not first been read by him.

Morning services and certain studio services are also taken by the Director of Religion, not as part of the routine duties, but as a voluntary effort.

The most difficult task of all, perhaps, is the contact with charitable organisations and churches. Two committees—the Appeals and Religious Advisory—help him select those organisations which are to be allowed to broadcast during the "Week's Good Cause" and from which church services shall be relayed.

LITTLE KNOWN

Dr. Welch is a Church of England clergyman of wide experience, but he is little known at Broadcasting House.

He is very popular among his friends in York and much liked by progressive churchmen.

He served during the war with the H.A.C., subsequently training at the Knutsford Ordination Test School under Canon F. R. Barry. From 1921 to 1923 he was at Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge, and from 1923 to 1928 at Westcott House.

He was then ordained curate of Gateshead Parish Church and remained there until 1929, when he took up missionary work in Southern Rhodesia.

"FRESH AND FRIENDLY"

He has been Principal of St. John's since 1935. At Broadcasting House, those few who know him tell me he is "fresh, friendly and enthusiastic."

Dr. Welch said: "I am afraid I cannot make any statement on what I propose to do, or what my policy will be."

"The appointment is still six months ahead and I have been appointed on the advice of other people knowing practically nothing about the work, certainly not sufficient to justify me in now stating a policy which will take months of actual experience to decide."

Mr. Iremonger, formerly vicar of Verham Dean, was due for retirement on reaching the age of 60 in July.

CRASH PROOF PETROL TANKS

Britain's air pilots will be saved from their most dreaded peril—being burnt alive in a crash—by the invention of a retired official of the Air Ministry.

The invention, approved by the Ministry after initial tests, is a "crash-proof" petrol tank which is seamless and rivetless and will stand up to violent battering and twisting or bursting.

Tests were carried out by dropping the tanks from various heights. Four have now been fitted to Airspeed Oxford monoplane for service tests.

"Pot" Shot By Son of Admiral

A "pot" shot at a pheasant by an admiral's son, who was motoring with a friend, led to a summons at Maidenhead, Berks. police court recently.

For what was described as an "idiotic escapade," Captain Oscar Fremantle (28), of Sonning, Berkshire, son of Admiral Fremantle, and James Gaffney, South Side, Streatham Common, London, dental surgeon, summoned for trespassing in search of game at Rose Hill Hurley, were each fined 20s.

NOT POACHING

Mrs. Margaret Adams, wife of the head gamekeeper to Colonel Micklem, of Henley-on-Thames, said she saw Captain Fremantle pick up a pheasant and run with it to a car. She stood in front of the car and stopped it whereupon the pheasant was given to her.

Mr. W. B. Manley, defending, repudiated any suggestion of poaching. "This excitable young Fremantle happened to see some pheasants," continued Mr. Manley, "and he could not resist the temptation. Gaffney weakly acquiesced."

He asked that no conviction be recorded "as it might ruin their professional careers."

Always Got His Man

Divisional Detective-Inspector John Henry—the detective who always got his man—is about to retire. It was his efforts that led to the capture of George Brain.

Brain, found guilty of the "Lovers' Lane" crime, was at the Old Bailey sentenced to death for the murder of Muriel Rose Atkins.

CASSERLEY CASE

Before he was caught he spent a week hidden in a cave at Sheerness. Inspector Henry was chief police witness in the Casserley case, in which Edward Royal Chaplin was found guilty of the manslaughter of Percy Arthur Casserley, and sentenced in May to 12 years' penal servitude.

The inspector is well known in the West End, for most of his service was at Bow-street, with the Flying Squad, and at Cinc-street.

War Mail Costly

Mena, Ark. Postal service between here and Spain's battle fronts is slow and expensive. A letter written by Robert M. Pike, who is with the 67th division of the Loyalist forces, was four months in reaching Hugh Gore. The letter carried 82 cents worth of stamps on it.

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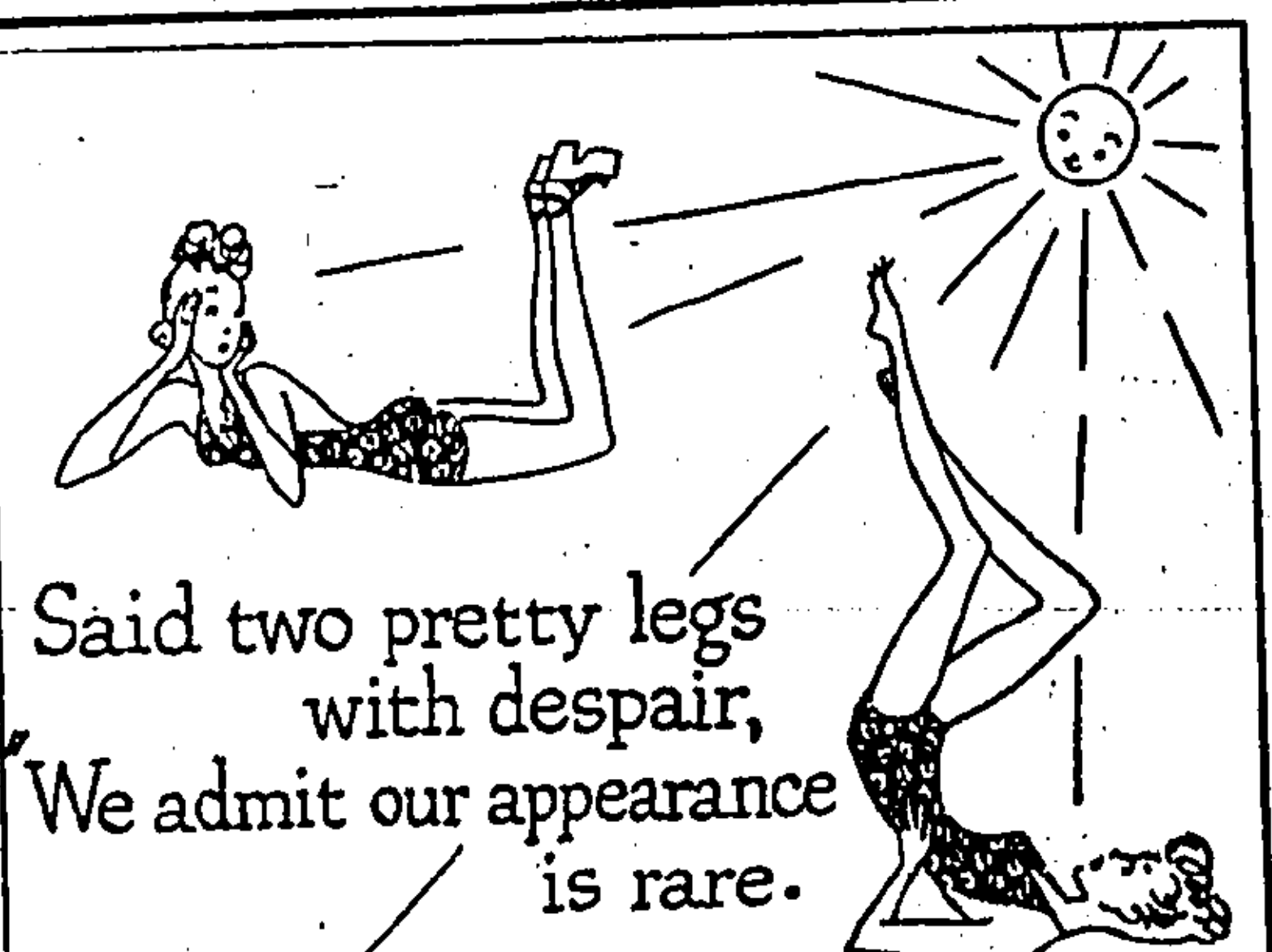


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CONSIGNEES’ NOTICES.

SERVICES CONTRACTUAL DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Steamship

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28-A/38

Bringing Cargo from Marseilles via Saigon, etc., arrived Hongkong on Wednesday, 9th November, 1938.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored into the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before 10th November, 1938, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company’s Surveyors Messrs—Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday, 15th November, 1938.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company’s Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL, Agent.

Hongkong, 9th November, 1938.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Steamship

“YALOU”

12-AEO/38

Bringing Cargo from Dunkirk via Haiphong, arrived Hongkong on Monday, 14th November, 1938.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored into the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before 24th November, 1938, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company’s Surveyor Messrs—Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, 19th November, 1938.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company’s Surveyors.

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Goods not cleared by the 21st November, 1938, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the godowns, where they will be examined at Holt’s Wharf.

Consignees are requested to apply for a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable cargo is being examined.

Claims against the steamer must be presented in writing within ten days after arrival of steamer, otherwise they will not be recognized.

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FLANDIN TO LEAD DEMOCRATS

Re-Elected President Of Party

Paris, Nov. 14.

M. Flandin was re-elected President of the Democratic Party at the Party’s congress to-day by 1,627 votes out of a possible total of 1,650.

Senator Reibel who had severely criticized Flandin’s attitude during the Czech-Slovakian crisis was not re-elected a member of the Party’s Executive Committee and resigned thereupon from the Party.

There were stormy scenes when Senator Reibel denounced M. Flandin for having sent telegrams of congratulation to Herr Hitler after the Munich agreement.

Flandin met with much applause when he declared that he referred to an exchange of telegrams instead of shells. M. Flandin stated that the Communists intended to use the peace expected during the first bombardment of Paris for the proclamation of a Soviet Government in France.

France certainly must be strong not to fight, but to be able to negotiate with the other powers on an even footing.

To persist in the belief that Germany is France’s hereditary enemy was playing into the hands of the Communists.—Trans-Ocean.

President For Fourth Term LITHUANIAN DIET MAKES CHOICE

Kovno, Nov. 14.

The President of Lithuania, M. Arturas Smolona, was re-elected President by the Diet to-day.

The election took place in the Beym Building, and was presided over by the Premier, Father V. Mironas.

The 64 year-old President Smolona thus holds the Lithuanian State for another seven years, holding the highest office in the country for a fourth term.

It is expected that in connection with the presidential election, the Cabinet will tender its formal resignation, and that changes in the offices of Deputy Premier, Minister of the Interior, Minister of Agriculture, and the War Minister, as well as in the diplomatic service, will take place.—Trans-Ocean.

THE POLICE RESERVE

Orders for the Current Week Issued

TRAINING COURSES

Police Reserve Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Commissioner of Police, state:

Chinese Company

Strength—Constable R40 Leung Kin-sang has been taken on the strength of the Chinese Company as from November 7, 1938.

Training Course—Part II.

The undermentioned members of the Chinese Company have passed Part II of Training Course (Knowledge of Police Duties and Regulations) on Friday, November 8, 1938:

Stables R23 Lau Wing-shing, R30 Victor Shim, R47 Chung Fai-lam, R49 Andrew Siu, R59 Chan Pak-luen, R87 Leung Joe-ling, R73 Wong Yan-san, R88 Phillip Chan, R91 Yu Wah-sul, R101 Lam Fung-lung, R102 A. V. Wong, R103 Hoh Sal-ling, and R104 Poon Man-kit.

Training Course—Part III.

The following members of the Chinese Company have passed Part III of Training Course (Revolver Shooting):

On October 15, 1938—“A” Course: Constables R80 George Chan, R82 Stern Ho, R88 Hung Woon-man, R95 Ho Thong-choi, R23 Lau Wing-shing, R26 Victor Shim, R49 Andrew Siu, R59 Chan Pak-luen, R73 Wong Yan-san, R88 Phillip Chan, R91 Yu Wah-sul, and R102 A. V. Wong.

On November 7, 1938—“B” Course: Constable R49 Andrew Siu, R59 Chan Pak-luen, R73 Wong Yan-san, R88 Phillip Chan, R91 Yu Wah-sul, and R102 A. V. Wong.

Patrol Duty—Nightly between 6 p.m. and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

Indian Company

Patrol Duty—Nightly between 6 p.m. and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

Flying Squad

Strength—Constable R353 Tam Pak-tat has been taken on the strength of the Flying Squad, as from October 30, 1938.

Patrol Duty—Nightly between 6 p.m. and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

Emergency Unit Reserve

Appointments—Constables R404 M. A. de Souza, R405 J. C. Fowles, R416 M. A. de Souza, R406 W. J. Priest, and R421 J. Van de Lely have been appointed Acting Lance Sergeants as from November 7, 1938.

A.R.P. Courses.

The undermentioned members of the Police Reserve have been detailed to attend the A.R.P. Course at the E.U.R. Club on Tuesday, November 15, and Friday, November 18, at 5.30 p.m. under S. I. (R) P. Dunlop; Mr. B. C. Randall, A.S.P. (R), Mr. Feroz Ali, A.S.P. (R), Insp. (R) David Loie, S. I. (R) Chau

French People Accept Taxes Gracefully

Paris, Nov. 14.

M. Paul Reynaud’s plan continues to be taken in good part by the majority of public opinion as a sincere and necessary effort.

The bulk of newspaper comment deals with its political aspect, especially with M. Leen Blum’s opposition and M. Flandin’s policy of “wait and see.”

Naturally it is the smaller tax that has impressed the general public. For example, to-morrow tobacco will cost 15 to 20 per cent. more and with an extra 20 centimes a gallon on petrol the latter will be dearer than ordinary wine. A number of tobaccoists are sold out and there will be a run on sugar and coffee.

Thrifty people spent the week-end catching up arrears in correspondence before the higher inland rate becomes operative.—Reuter.

Bolshevism Must Be Crippled, Says Statesman

Paris, Nov. 14.

M. Musy the former Swiss President, has joined the ranks of European politicians who are demanding the drastic extermination of Bolshevism.

In an interview given to the Matin, he says that the aim of Bolshevism is the destruction of western civilisation. Peace will be restored to Europe, he claims, when the European nations will have courage and wisdom to cripple the activities of those who are systematically planning to bring about the catastrophe of a war.—Trans-Ocean.

CZECHS FINANCE MIGRATION PLAN

Prague, Nov. 14.

The Czechoslovak National Bank is at present examining a plan for financing emigration from Czechoslovakia, it is learned from reliable quarters.

A plan is being considered to place at the disposal of each immigrant 100,000 Czechoslovak crowns in foreign exchange out of his property, if he is willing to pay a day of 50,000 crowns in cash or Government securities.

Former residents of the Sudeten territory who are now in Czechoslovakia, and wish to take advantage of the scheme, will also be provided with foreign exchange, but duty in those cases will be higher.—Trans-Ocean.

QUETTA OFFICERS FOR SINGAPORE

Colombo, Nov. 14.

For the first time in history, 40 British officers of the Staff College at Quetta are to work out exercises for the defence of Singapore and India as part of their training course.

The officers, under the direction of Major-General Haig passed through Colombo to-day en route to Singapore, where they will stay a fortnight.—Reuter.

ANGLO-ITALIAN PACT

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with President Roosevelt with a view to joint representations being made to Berlin.—Reuter.

CANADA TO JOIN AGREEMENT

Washington, Nov. 14.

Mr. Cordell Hull to-day stated that he hoped to sign the Anglo-American trade agreement before he left on November 28 for the Pan-American Conference at Lima.

He also stated that he hoped to announce some developments in the negotiations for the renewal of the American-Canadian trade agreement in two or three days, and he hoped shortly to decide whether or not the two agreements could be tied together.—Reuter.

“ESCAPE” CLAUSE INCLUDED

Washington, Nov. 14.

Officials of the State Department said to-day that the Anglo-American trade agreement would contain an “escape” clause, permitting either country to denounce the pact if fluctuations in exchange rates were so large as to affect the tariff concessions.

The officials stated that the agreement would not contain any provision concerning the British war debt, or parity between the pound and the dollar.—Reuter.

COMING SOON QUEEN’S & ALHAMBRA

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MOST H.K. CHILDREN ARE NAMED JOHN, PATRICIA

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Caroline, Cynthia, Constance, Deldre, Doris, Dorcas, Dorothy, Davidina, Diane, Dixie, Eivora, Emily, Elceer, Elaine, Erna, Esther, Florence, Gwendoline, Gillian, Geraldine, Irene, Inge, Janis, Jacqueline, Jennifer, Julia, Juliet, Judy, Jeanne, Janette, Jean, June, Joyce, Lisette, Lisa, Lillian, Lydia, Marina, Muriel, Molly, Marion, Myra, Marilyn, Mona, Marian, Monica, Norcen, Norma, Olive, Pamela, Prudence, Priscilla, Rose Marie, Rita, Rose, Roberta, Shirley, Theresa, Theresa, Violet, Virginia, Valerie, Veronica, Victoria, Winifred and Yvonne (1).

In the boys’ section, John tops the list numbering 16. Michael and Robert each total 11, followed by William (9), David (6), Joseph and James (5), Thomas (4), Anthony, Brian, Donald, Edward, Francis, Graham, Keith, Maurice, Peter, Derek (3), Albert, Alan, Charles, Derek, Frederick, Gerald, Leslie, Richard, Ronald, Walter (2), Antony, Arthur, Alfonso, Adrian, Alfred, Alexander, Bruno, Benito, Christopher, Cyril, Carlos, Colin, Douglas, Daniel, Dennis, Dietrich, Barry, Ernest, Elmer, Eugene, Frank, Geoffrey, Harold, Hugh, Herbert, Ian, Jeremy, Juan, Kenneth, Karl, Lee, Maria, Martin, Nicholas, Norman, Phillip, Reginald, Rodrick, Raymond, Stuart, Stanley, Terence, Valentine (1).

Among names which appear to be out of use this year in Hongkong are Laura, Harriet, Martha, Samuel, Harry, and Jasper.

Irene and Dorothy, two of the most popular names in Scotland to-day have all but disappeared in Hongkong.

Mary is London’s first choice and after Mary, names occurring most frequently are Maureen, Shirley, Joan, Jean and June.

Hampstead holds to simple names like Julia, Jane, Ann, Henry, Robert, Peter and Samuel, but East Ham has gone in for glamour with Carol, Jennifer, Yvonne, Derek, Bryan, Kenneth, Terence and Norman (names which also appear in Hongkong registrations).

Maureen tops the Fulham list with Pauline and Yvonne good seconds. Fulham girls’ names are always more “posh” than boys. They usually stay like their fathers just plain Tom, Bill, Harry or John.

At least 20 per cent. of Tottenham parents choose cinema names for their girls. Shirley and Gary are first favourites.

In contrast, over 75 per cent. of the gipsy families of Tottenham still cling to the names Faith, Hope and Charity.

Chelsea’s favourite names are Maureen, Eileen, June, Elizabeth, Ann, Margaret, Rose, Michael, George, John and William.

It is believed that since the fifteenth century, names, especially girls’ names, have gone in cycles like dress fashions.

Biblical names like Sarah, Rebecca and Susan, while practically non-existent elsewhere, appear to be having a revival in Mayfair.

London and Scotland parents, like those in Hongkong, prefer John as a boy’s name.

MAGISTRATE RETURNS

Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, Senior Police Magistrate, who recently returned from long leave, resumed duty as First Magistrate at the Central Magistracy yesterday. During his absence from the Colony, Mr. H. R. Butlers had acted as First Magistrate.

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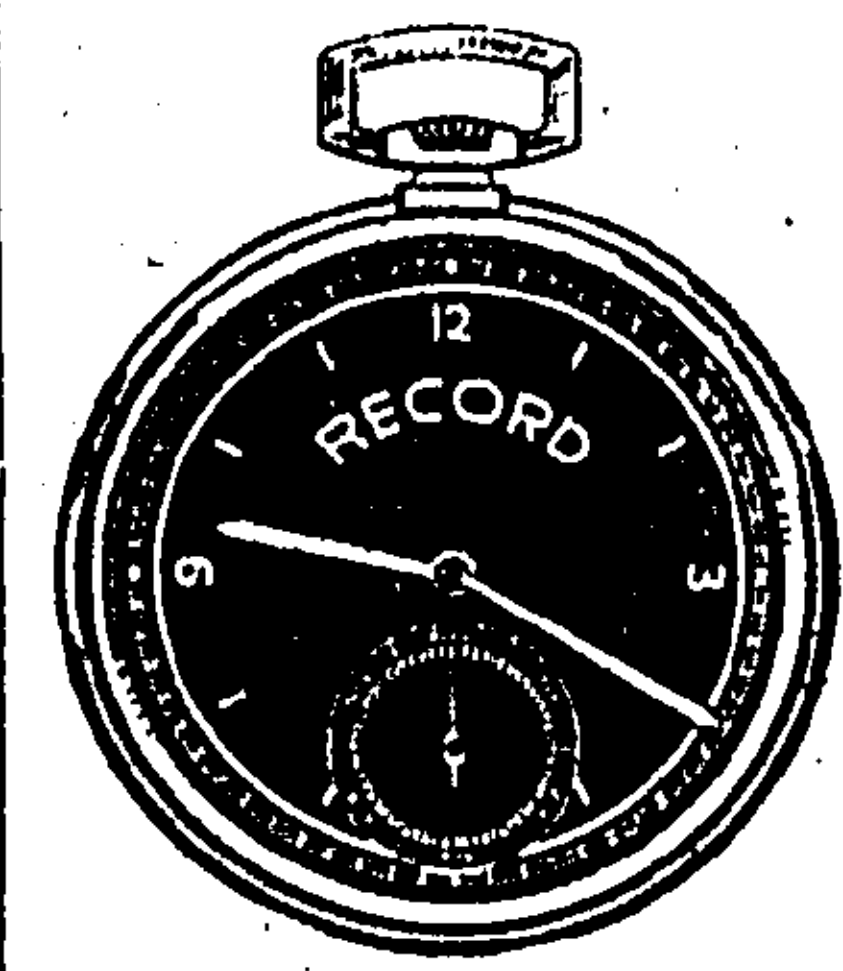
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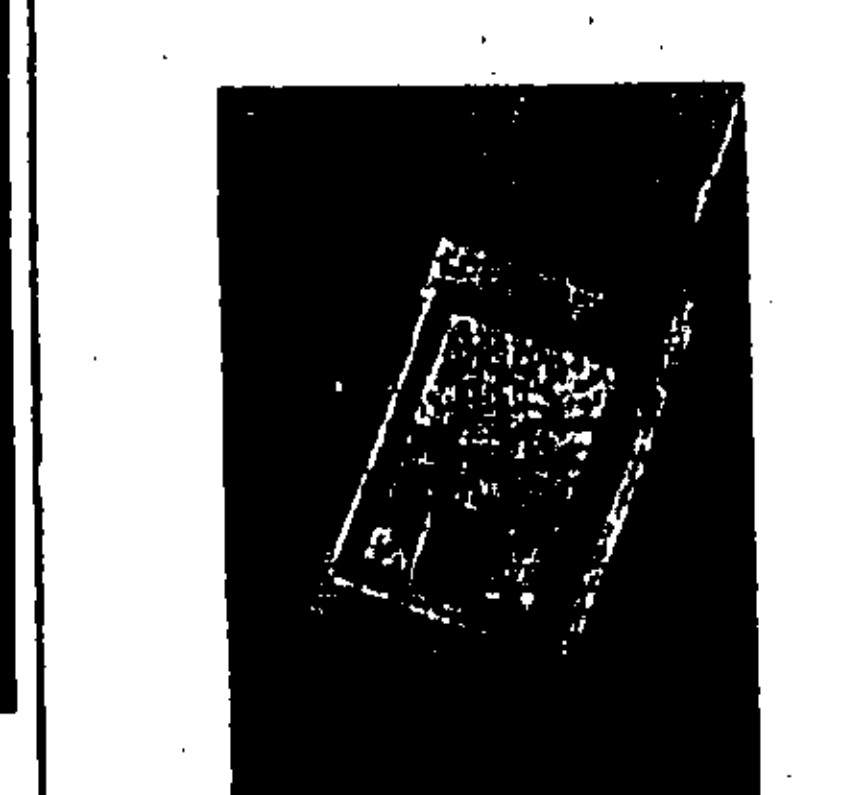
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War Editorials

ONE of the most impressive
editorials of the hundreds
we have read on the recent
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page, without heading, and it
was a simple plea that through-
out the land, houses of worship
should include in their devotions
a prayer that peace and under-
standing would come to the
world.

The absence of spiritual con-
siderations has been one of the
remarkable elements of modern
diplomatic relations as well as
of modern commerce. The Ver-
sailles and Trianon treaties were
written in an atmosphere that
many regarded as irreligious.
Invocation of the Deity, how-
ever hypocritical it may be in
some circles, was wholly absent
in the Paris deliberations, and
in view of the purposes of some
of the negotiators, it was prob-
ably more honest that God was
left on the outside.

People who deemed the treat-
ies cursed by this circumstance
can make a good case for their
belief in the past twenty years'
history. The treaties by their
complete avoidance of spiritual
elements and their emphasis on
purely material considerations,
bred their own destruction.

Every newspaper in the world
has written many thousand
words on war, racial persecution,
crises and the other curses that
beset civilisation to-day, but none
come closer to the mark than
the hope that Divine guidance
may be available to repair the
wreck that materialism has
made of people and countries.
That hope, and its frequent ex-
pression, is worth more toward
a permanent solution than all
the sideling strategy and diplo-
matic shibboleth that has been
placed before the public this past
six months.

ARAB versus JEW

A debate giving both sides
of the Palestine question



ARABS are waging a
campaign of terrorism
throughout Palestine.

It is the old trouble of the
administration of the Brit-
ish mandate over Palestine
to provide a national home
for the Jews while protect-
ing the interests of the
native Arabs.

This time the trouble is
graver than ever before. In the
unceasing flow of Jewish im-
migration into Palestine the Arab
sees economic and national
annihilation.

To emphasise the problem
which confronts the British
Government in bringing peace
again to John Bull's other Ire-
land I here quote the arguments
of the rival Jew and Arab as
they were put to me by Mr.
M. Shertok, head of the politi-
cal department of the Jewish
Agency in Jerusalem, and Abdul
Hadi Bey, secretary of the Arab
High Committee.

Mr. Shertok: The aim of the
present Arab disturbances is to
force the hand of the British
Government by violence to
abandon the principle of the
mandate.

Abdul Hadi Bey: Nothing of
the kind. All the Arab is trying
to do is to force the Govern-
ment to administer the man-
date fairly. Jews are being
allowed to crowd into Palestine
at such a rate that within a few
years the Arabs will be a
minority. The Arab High Com-
mittee which is conducting a
peaceful strike of protest at the
refusal of the Government to
stop immigration does not con-
done violence. The shooting
and rioting is a spontaneous
outburst of the people them-
selves who see their lands and
livelihood being taken away
from them. Neither I nor my
colleagues can stop it. If the
strike was called off to-day
violence would still continue.

Mr. Shertok: Rubbish! The
Arab is economically better off,
for the presence of the Jew and
Jewish capital which has
brought \$100,000,000 into the
country, than he has ever been
before. The Palestinian Arab is
better off than his brethren in
Egypt, Syria, or anywhere else.
Because of employment given
by Jews the Arab population
has increased by 60 per cent.
since the war, mainly by Arabs
flocking in from neighbouring
countries to share in the new
prosperity.

Abdul Hadi Bey: Don't try to
make out that the Jew is in
Palestine for the good of the
Arab! The Jew is building a
national paradise for himself
and making a hell for the Arab.

The Jew is conquering the
whole of Palestine by financial
and political means even as the
Italians conquered Abyssinia.
The Arab is an agriculturist and
for him all riches are in the
land.

He cannot live away from the
land. Now with their unlimited
capital the Jews are buying
that land and driving him into
the towns to work at menial
tasks as wage-slaves.

Already the Jews have taken
all the best plains for cultiva-
tion and have bought over
1,600,000 dunams (quarter
acres) out of the 6,450,000
dunams of cultivatable land in
Palestine.

According to experts every
Arab needs 120 dunams of land
to support himself and his
family. As far back as 1929
there was only an average of 80
dunams left per Arab family and
there is less still now.

Mr. Shertok: That is a com-
plete distortion of the facts.
Arabs do not sell all their land
to the Jews. As a rule they sell
a section at a handsome price
and with the cash go in for in-
tensive farming on the remain-
ing section.

Given capital in this way to
sink wells, provide irrigation
systems, buy machinery, the
Arab is economically better off
with a smaller area of land.

Villages which have sold land
to the Jews are better off than
villages which have hoarded
their land. Further, Abdul
Hadi Bey's figures for the
amount of cultivatable land in
Palestine are an underesti-
mate.

The Jew by scientific means
is turning vast tracts of desert

and barren hillside which the
Arabs never dreamed of culti-
vating into fertile farms.

Abdul Hadi Bey: A very in-
genious theory, but it does not
work out in practice in such a
benevolent way. The Arab is a
simple fellow who is no match
for the Jew in business matters.
What actually happens is
that a Jew comes along to an
Arab farmer and asks him
what his land is worth to him
a year.

If it is worth an income of
£200 the Jew will offer him
£2,000—a fabulous sum in the
eyes of the fellahen—and will
tell him how he can invest the
money to bring himself in his
original income without work-
ing.

The Arab foolishly takes the
money and he and his family
and tenants all lose their safe
harbourage on the land. Unable
to exploit his £2,000, the Arab
fritters the money away and he,
his family, and dependents are
left penniless.

Mr. Shertok: The large town
population of Jews have opened
up an enormous market for the
agricultural produce of the
Arab farmers, who can always
produce cheaper than the Jew
farmers.

The Jewish immigrant be-
comes a customer of the Arab
from the first moment he
lands in Palestine.

FACTS

Population of Palestine—760,000
Moslems, 307,000 Jews, 100-
000 Christians.

1917.—Balfour Declaration —
Britain favoured the immigra-
tion of Jews, but recognised
rights of non-Jews.

1922.—Government White Paper
emphasised the right of Jews
to be in Palestine.

1923.—League of Nations Man-
date granted to Britain.

In addition, the Jew capi-
talists have built up for the
Government a surplus of
£6,000,000. Not only has this
surplus enabled the Arab
farmers to be relieved of their
tithe year after year but it has
enabled the administration to
carry out an ambitious pro-
gramme of social services all of
which mean employment for
the Arabs.

Abdul Hadi Bey: Then why
is it that every commission of
experts which has investigated
this matter since 1929 has
stated that the Arabs have
genuine grounds for grievance
and have recommended the
stopping of Jewish immigration
and land sales to Jews? Why
is it that the British Govern-

ment has not put these recom-
mendations into effect?

Mr. Shertok: Because history
has decreed otherwise. The
mandate has decreed a
national home for the Jews in
Palestine and Great Britain will
not go back on her word.

You Arabs have countries
twenty times the size of Pales-
tine in which you can develop
your nationalist aspirations.
The Jews have only the tiny
country of Palestine in which
to work out their own salvation.
In striking and rioting the
Arab is committing economic
suicide.

Abdul Hadi Bey: You have
not answered my question.

The reason why the recom-
mendations of the experts who
have visited Palestine have not
been carried out is because of
the tremendous pressure of
Jewish vested interests and
propaganda on the British
Government.

Never were such powers more
evident than when Mr. Ramsay
MacDonald calmly explained
away the White Paper which
promised us justice. The
trouble is that the Arab is in-
articulate.

He has no newspapers and no
representatives in the House of
Commons. Now he is desper-
ate and is making himself
heard with rifle shot and bomb.
Do you blame him?

Mr. Shertok: Yes.

Freethinkers—And Freedom

OVERSHADOWED by the alarums
of the international political
situation, a more limited controversy
has been waged with ardent
vehemence during the past two or
three months.

It has related to the Conference of
Freethinkers, dubbed by their
enemies "the militant Godless,"

By "AN OLD STAGER"

which has been held in London. The
question which has bothered the
embattled antagonists is not so much
whether Freethinkers are right as
whether Britain ought to permit such
meetings at all.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"He won't carry anything, but cigars—he became a father to-day!"

The tussle really dates back to a
few weeks before the rising of a
weary Parliament for the long recess.
When a stout Tory, Captain Ramsay,
presented a Bill designed to prevent
foreigners organising meetings in this
country for the purpose of anti-
religious propaganda.

The Bill got its first reading, a
formality, but it has now passed in-
to dust-covered limbo because there
was neither time nor perceptible
inclination to debate the matter
further.

But that does not alter the
principle of the thing. The Bill was
presented by a persistent critic of
the policies and "ideologies" of the
Soviet Union. He is regarded in
Parliament as a somewhat extreme
right-wing supporter of the Govern-
ment.

"Red" Propaganda

Captain Ramsay is a sincerely
religious man, and has a horror of
Sovietism's famous dictate, "Religion
is the opiate of the masses," a saying
often attributed to Lenin, but actually
the announcement of a comparatively
obscure party official.

Some M.P.s abstained from voting;
but broadly speaking, Unionists
supported Ramsay, and the Op-
position voted against him. In fact,
several Government men joined
with the Opposition, and several
Labour-Liberal men supported Ram-
say. If I had been M.P. I would
have voted against Ramsay's Bill. I
do not like it.

Captain Ramsay's point is that the
League of the Militant Godless is
not so much a group of free-thinkers
such as those who emerged in
Victorian days; nor that it is merely
atheistic; he maintains that it is a
cover-up for active Communist
propaganda.

This may be correct. M. Jaroslavsky,
a Communist writer, states frankly
that: "The revolutionary proletariat
is not concerned with a merely paper
war of the old style of free thought."
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CORONATION WAS ILLEGAL IF—

Stone Altars Are Forbidden

"If stone altars in churches should be proved to be illegal, some of the most solemn moments of the coronation service would be in some way invalid."

This was one of the points advanced when a vicar's appeal against an order for the removal of a number of ornaments from his church was continued before the ancient Court of Arches at the Law Courts, London, recently.

The Rev. Charles Geoffrey Roffe-Silvester, Vicar of St. Hilary, Cornwall, was the appellant. The respondent was Miss Ann Maria King, of St. Hilary, on whose petition a Truro diocesan order for the removal of the ornaments was made.

The ornaments in dispute, which include six stone altars and several "switch-watching" bells, were installed in the church by the late vicar, the Rev. Bernard Walke, who retired in 1930.

The appeal was heard by Mr. W. M. Stabile, K.C., Deputy for the Dean of the Arches. Mr. H. B. Vaisey, K.C., and Mr. G. C. Hutchinson appeared for the appellant, and Mr. J. P. Ashworth for the respondent.

Judgment was reserved. Mr. Ashworth contended that, assuming the stone altars were illegal, the court had no discretion in the matter.

He mentioned that Dean Stanley found a stone altar at Westminster Abbey. He had it removed and had erected a wooden table with a marble slab on top.

At Durham Cathedral a stone Holy Table had been there for 200 to 300 years. Westminster Abbey, however, was a "Royal peculiar," and the King was sole judge of what should be done there.

He asked the court to say that the discretion on the part of the authorities could only extend to stone altars which had been in existence since the time of the Reformation.

AT WESTMINSTER
Mr. Ashworth submitted that there was a great weight of legal authority to the effect that stone altars were illegal and were not a matter of discretion in regard to their removal.

The judge said he was horrified to find that after the proceedings in 1932 the then incumbent, without any regard to the legal rights of some of his parishioners, put in six altars.

He acted in a manner amounting to "gross defiance" of the consistory court, and the illegality under which the parishioners suffered were appalling.

After further argument, the judge said he proposed that one of the two altars (cupboards for the storing ecclesiastical articles) must go within the period prescribed by the chancellor, but regarding the other he thought that the vicar ought to have more time to consider his position.

RED FLAG PREVENTS DISASTER

ROBERT Kelso, signalman at Herne Hill station, looked out of his box recently just as an electric train was leaving.

He saw an express from Victoria to Ramsgate sweeping up the line in the distance.

He pushed the signal over to stop, grabbed a red flag, and dashed on to his platform, frantically waving to the driver.

The driver slammed on his brakes, but could not pull up before hitting the other train.

There was a crash, and passengers were thrown off their feet.

VAN BUCKLED

The last coach of the electric train was thrown into the air, and came crashing down on to the lines again.

The van was buckled and the bogie became wedged underneath. Both down lines were blocked.

Four people were injured. Three were detained in hospital.

One of them, the guard of the electric train, became unconscious.

He was Henry Crane, of Sutton-road, London, S.W.

A message was rushed to his wife, who had left to spend the week-end at Canvey Island.

The others detained were Leonard Grey, of Oakley, Cranage-drive, South-end, and Vera Garrett, also living in Oakley Grange-drive.

Mr. Kelso, who lives at Mayflower-road, Stockwell, went on with his job.

WIFE'S PRIDE

His wife, Mrs. Ivy Kelso, said, "I am proud and glad to be my husband's crash."

"He has a very responsible job. People don't realise that until something like this has happened."

Mr. W. H. Mason, employed at Milkwood-road, Horne Hill, said: "I heard a terrific crash. Then I saw railwaymen rushing down the line towards the two trains near a signal box. Fortunately only one set of lines was damaged."

"The guard was carried away on a stretcher, but two others injured walked to the ambulance."

"Other passengers then walked along to the station."

RECENT HONGKONG WEDDING



Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Connor, after their recent wedding at St. John's Cathedral. Mrs. Connor was formerly Miss Biddy Andrews. —Mec Cheung.

CONFESSION

Mr. Ashworth said he thought he would be justified in agreeing to such a course.

It was agreed to leave the question of the crucifix over until a comprehensive and final scheme came before the chancellor.

"Now will your lordship go into the consistory court?" said Mr. Ashworth, and the judge joined in the general laughter.

Mr. Stabile said that the question of the consistory court struck him as an extraordinarily small matter.

"There is no doubt about it," he added, "that confession in the Church of England is perfectly normal. Compulsory confession is forbidden."

Mr. Vaisey explained that the vicar had not yet moved into the vicarage house of his parish. He would give up a great deal for the sake of peace, but he would not give up the Reservation of the Sacrament unless he was stepped.

The judge replied that it was perfectly obvious that if there was to be peace there must be concessions on both sides. He reserved judgment.

CHAPLIN BANNED

CHARLIE CHAPLIN, the Marx Brothers, the Ritz Brothers, and other Jewish comedians may be banned from Italian cinemas. In a new campaign the Rome anti-Semitic newspaper *Tevere* describes the Marx Brothers' film "A Night at the Opera," now showing in Rome, as "a perfect example of the degenerate mentality of the Jewish race."

"The Marx Brothers are only a big bluff," says the *Tevere*. "Their clowning may draw smiles from mugs, but Italians do not need to take delight in their stupidity."

All Chaplin films are banned in Germany on the grounds that he is a "non-Aryan."

It was officially confirmed in Rome recently that a Government decree law will be published soon banning all "non-Aryan" Italians from the Stock Exchanges and financial markets.

BARRED FROM LAW

Financial firms with Jewish connections will be wound up.

This decision will not affect foreign Jews dealt with by the recent decree ordering their expulsion within six months.

British and American financiers in Italy therefore will not be affected by the new decision.

Jews are barred from the German legal profession by a decree published in Berlin.

Licences of Jewish solicitors in the Old Reich will be taken from them on November 30.

Jewish solicitors in Austria must be struck from the rolls by December 31.

Jews barred from their profession but who served in the front line during the war may be given relief out of the income of Jewish legal advisers.

Jewish legal advisers will be allowed to act for Jews and represent them.

Corn Pickers Take Toll

Springfield, Ill.

The Illinois Agricultural Association has "reminded" Illinois farmers that six men were killed and at least 65 others lost fingers or hands in the operation of corn pickers last year.

APE-MAN CLUE IN A BOY'S POCKET

A scientist's quest for four of "perhaps the most valuable teeth in the world" ended in their discovery in a schoolboy's trouser pocket.

Gert Terblanche, the schoolboy, digging in an outcrop of rock at Kromdraai, near Sterkfontein, South Africa, had found a skull which Sir Arthur Keith told the British Association was of "outstanding importance in the evolution of man and ape."

How his find became known to the world of science is described by Dr. B. Broom, of the Transvaal Museum, Pretoria, in an article in the current issue of "Nature."

Dr. Broom says he was shown the skull by a Mr. Barlow, at Sterkfontein, to whom the boy had given it.

WENT TO SCHOOL

"Recognising that some of the teeth had recently been broken off, I had to hunt up the schoolboy," writes Dr. Broom.

"I went to his home two miles off and found that he was at school another two miles away."

Royal "Oi"

THE King and Queen danced the "Lambeth Walk" and the "Palala Glide" at the Gilties Ball at Balmoral Castle.

The King and Queen spent two hours dancing among the royal estate tenants and workers.

The Queen visited Cumberland House, Aberdeen, in which the Duke of Cumberland lived before the march to Culloden.

It is now a common lodging house.

LORD NUFFIELD SAVES WELSH VILLAGE

London.

Abercraze, a mining village in the Swansea Valley, has been saved from being derelict by a gift of £30,000 from Lord Nuffield to keep open two collieries, 2,000 men, women and children in Abercraze are dependent on two pits—the Abercraze and the International. They were threatened with the spectre of unemployment unless money could be found to enable the deeper seams of coal to be worked. About £50,000 was needed. After T. P. Rose Richards, Ltd., coal exporters of Swansea and colliery proprietors, had offered £10,000 the workmen themselves volunteered to raise £2,000 between them. The remainder of the total needed has now been guaranteed by Lord Nuffield. It is expected that a new company will be formed and the shadow of suspense lifted from the village.

'Make Lakeland A National Park'

If the efforts of lovers of the Lake District avail, that magnificent beautiful part of England will be reserved as a national park—and thus be made for ever safe from spoliation.

More than 3,000 people are already banded together to achieve this object; their organisation is named "Friends of the Lake District" and they are to be found not only all over this country but throughout the world.

The membership—which includes a number of Americans—is growing steadily. It is hoped that all will join who wish to:

See the loveliness of "the Lakes" preserved; the footpaths and public access; Control all quarrying, mining, and industrial activities in the area; Banish from it all litter, advertisement hoardings, and unsightly petrol pumps; and Maintain local architectural traditions.

Mr. W. D. H. McCullough, chairman of the public relations committee of the Council for the Preservation of Rural England, declares that quick action is necessary to "preserve for future generations a few of the natural beauties we have inherited," and that the establishment of national parks in England would solve a problem which is becoming more and more difficult to attack.

Recently, at 103, Regent-street, W., the premises of Messrs. Austin Reed, Ltd., Mr. Norman Birkett, K.C.—a most ardent champion—made an urgent plea for the Lake District when he opened an exhibition of photographs designed to tell the story of the danger which threatens what he called a "unique stretch of country."

He explained that the term "national park" used in the present instance meant simply "leaving the Lake District exactly as it is."

Voluntary societies had done all they could toward that end; now the only permanent safeguard would be complete control, exercised by a body with statutory powers set up by Parliament.

Mr. Birkett referred to "battles" which the Friends of the Lake District had waged with the Central Electricity Board, the Forestry Commission, and other powerful bodies to prevent disfigurement.

There had been, some years ago, a threat of steel pylons in Keswick Vale—and now there was a similar menace. He said: "They have a great work to do, but I wish they would do it somewhere else."

Lord Howard of Penrith is president of the Friends of the Lake District, and the Archbishop of York, Dr. Temple, is vice-president.

Names Fit Twins

Ohkland, Cal.

Mrs. John B. Calori chose the name of Joanne Patricia for her baby in the event it should be a girl and Frederick La Roy if it should be a boy. Twins arrived and she used both names.

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6.00 Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) Stolen Heaven; (b) I'll never let you cry; (c) You and me; (d) An Old Straw Hat.

6.14 Record: Aria Con Variazioni (Luigi Mozzi); Le Regiment Qui Passe (Sconosciuto)... Mario Maccaferri (Guitar).

6.21 (a) Alone with you; (b) Coffee and Kisses; (c) Lovelight in the Starlight; (d) Ti-pl-in.

6.44 Records: Speak Easy (Gensler); Rollin' Home (P. De Rose)... The Eighth Piano Symphony directed by Bruce Merry; Doll Dance (Brown)... Ken Harvey (Banjo) with Orchestra.

6.44 (a) To-night will live; (b) Haven't myself a time; (c) I still love to kiss you goodnight; (d) East Side Kicks.

7.00 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 Tino Rossi (Tenor) and Orchestra Raymonde.

Rien Qu'un Cinant D'Amour (M. Noddes au balier de feu); Mia Piccolina (M. Naples au balier de feu); Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Orchestra; Delibes In Vienna (arr. Walter); Orchestre Raymonde: Les Fleurs.

C'est De L'Amour (Monty and Tillymoun); Te Revoy (Dallier, d'Angelys and Parara)... Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Orchestra.

7.20 London Relay—Congo Land.

Being the story of the adventures of the Lady Susan and Captain Smith in the Cape Town Air Race. Specially written for broadcasting by Horton Giddy; Characters: Lady Susan Ripley, Captain Smith; 1st Man; 2nd Man; 1st Girl; 2nd Girl; Reporter; Mr. Finberg; Production by John Richmond.

8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Dvorak—Slavonic Dances. Slavonic Dance No. 1 in C Major; Slavonic Dance No. 2 in E Minor; Slavonic Dance No. 14 in B Flat Major... Czech Philharmonic Orchestra cond. by Václav Talich.

8.15 London Relay—Empire Gazette.

A topical review of events overseas. Devised and edited by James Gilroy. Assisted by Kenneth Baily. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.

8.45 Miliza Korjus (Soprano) and Marek Weber and His Orchestra. The Little Ring (from "The Maltese Wish"—Chopin); Invitation to the Dance (Weber)... Miliza Korjus (Soprano) with the Berlin State Opera Orchestra cond. by Franz Schönbauersfeld; Tales From The Orient—Waltz (Strauss, arr. Egg)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; Serenade (Moszkowsky); The Maltese of Cadiz (Delibes)... Miliza Korjus (Soprano) with Orchestra conducted by Bruno Sedler-Winkler; "Merry Widow"—Selection (Lehar)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

9.15 Wagon—Quartet in A Major Op. 85, No. 1.

Played by the Pro Arte Quartet.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.50 Violin and Viola Solo. Passacaglia (Handel—Halvorsen)... Albert Sammons (Violin) and Lionel Terf (Viola).

10.00 London Relay—No. 8 Howard Place.

A visit to Robert Louis Stevenson's birthplace in Edinburgh. Programme devised by Christine Orr.

10.35 London Relay—Mr. Gillette.

10.45 Tangos and Rumbas. Lament—Tango; Land Of Magic Tango... Heinz Huppert and His Orchestra; Rumbaland; Intro: La Cucaracha; Marianna; The Song of the Slave; Carico; Sweet Muchacha; Bananas... Gerald and His Rumba Orchestra with Vocal Chorus; Fireflowers—Tango; Moonlight On The Rio Grande—Tango.

11.00 Close Down.

DEFENCES IN U.S.

Shortage of Munitions Says Expert

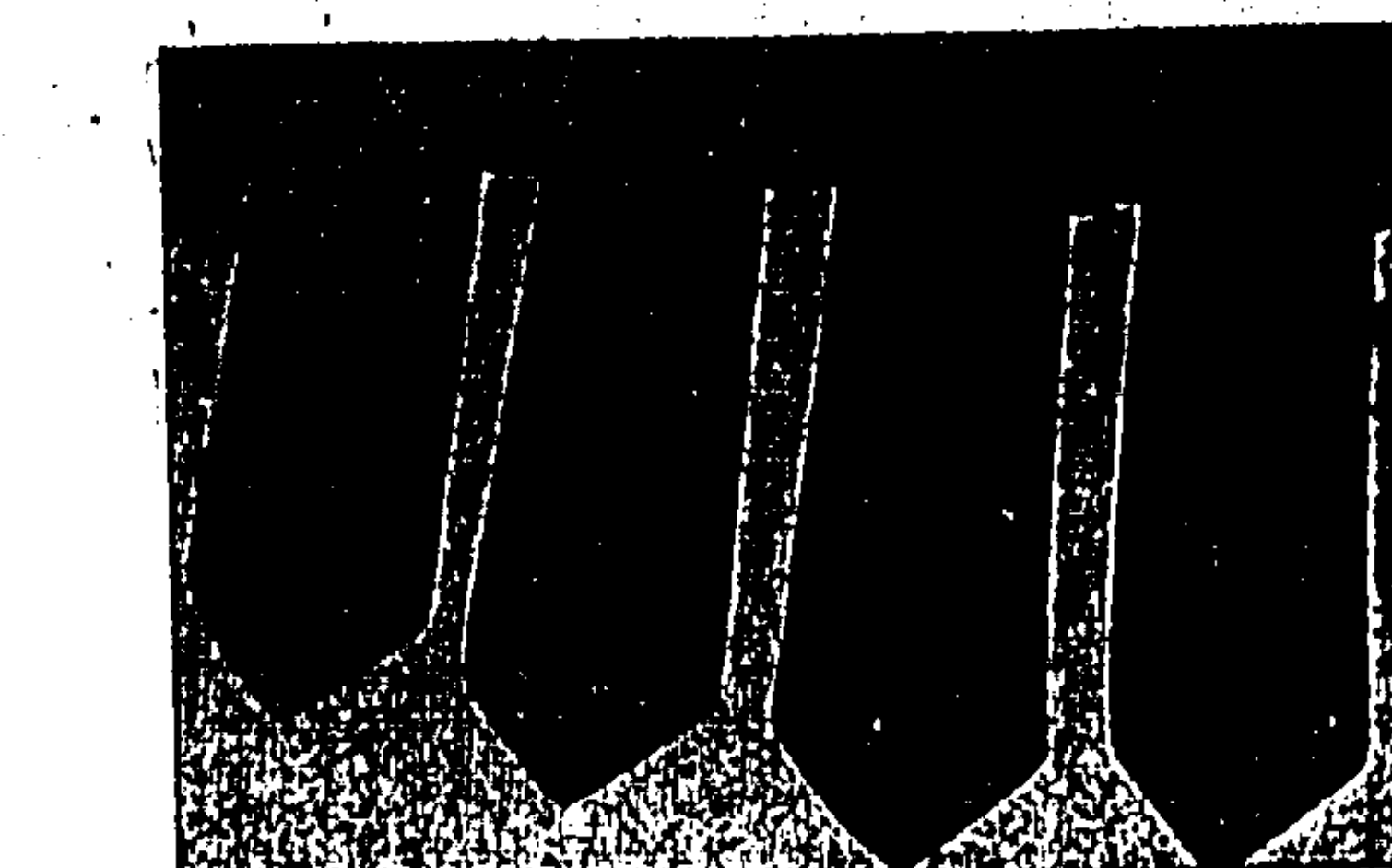
Washington, Nov. 14.

The United States not only has a small number of men under arms but has marked shortages of reserves and munitions, which is a matter of major military importance, and must be built up as soon as possible," declares the annual report issued to-day by Gen. Craig, Chief of Staff.

"Current operations in China and Spain illustrate the greatly increased power of new defensive weapons which has restored to defence the superiority it was deemed to have lost with the advent of new offensive arms."

Gen. Craig proposes that the regular army should be increased 3,000 to 40,000, including 21,500 for the air corps. He also asks in addition for anti-aircraft guns, searchlights and fire control equipment, anti-tank guns, semi-automatic rifles for the infantry and medium-sized tanks to supplement the existing force of light tanks.

No expansion in the air corps is requested in the report, which describes the corps as being equipped with planes which are materially equal, if not superior, to any military planes in the world.—Reuter Special.



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MUTES IN COURT

Unable to Answer Charge Of Stealing

Among the prisoners charged before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday were two dumb men, who were accused of stealing 10 pieces of hair, 11 pieces of duck, and two salt fish from No. 109 Queen's Road East on Sunday. One was additionally charged with receiving stolen property.

Ordinarily, there was nothing to distinguish this case from any of the others, but both the defendants in this instance were dumb, and could not answer the charges.

One of the men, who could read and write a little, gave his name to the police as Li Kwok-chuen, 21. The other, who could neither read, write, nor talk, indicated that he was also deaf. He also only possessed one good eye.

Detective-Sergeant J. Bentley, who prosecuted, said that both men were unemployed hawkers, and slept in the streets.

Mr. Forrest, after considering the case, decided to adjourn it until to-day to obtain advice as to what was to be done with the defendants.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 3.16 p.m. yesterday, says:

"The market has not yet sufficiently recovered from the long week-end holiday to take much interest in local stocks, and in consequence dull conditions prevailed all day."

Buyers

Rauha 8 1/2%
Peak Trans 8 1/2%
Yamail Petrol (Old) 8 1/2%
H.K. Govt. 4 1/2% Loan 6 1/2%
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 6 1/2%

H. & S. Hotels 8 1/2%
H. & S. Hotels 8 1/2%
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Yachting

Women's Event Sailed

Jan and Widgeon took leading
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race, held by the Royal Hongkong
Yacht Club yesterday over eight
miles. "A" class started at 14.45 and
"Y" class at 14.55. Results:

Finished	Corrd.	Pos.	Pla.
Jan (Mrs. M. Johnson)	15.57.15	1	324
Artemis (Mrs. M. Johnson)	16.59.18	2	200
Kittiwake (Miss M. Whitham)	17.00.25	3	256
True Blue (Mrs. P. M. King)	16.59.24	4	225
Isabel (Mrs. A. Waddell)	17.00.35	5	196
Gull (Mrs. F. M. Morris)	17.12.15	6	100
Jean (Mrs. L. Stanton)	17.23.30	7	144
La Linda (Mrs. V. Dowland)	17.33.04	8	121
Koala (Mrs. M. L. Johnstone)	17.47.15	9	100
Redbank (Mrs. M. L. Johnstone)	17.47.15	10	81
Joss (Mrs. M. L. Johnstone)	17.47.15	11	64
Evo (Mrs. V. MacMillan)	17.55.00	12	49
Widgeon (Mrs. L. Bader)	17.55.00	13	169
Winkle (Mrs. H. Crawhall Wilson)	17.55.00	14	144
Silrus (Mrs. K. Trenchard Davis)	17.55.00	15	121

FOOTBALL MATCHES ARRANGED

The following matches in the local
Junior Divisions have been re-

arranged:
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16
Second Division
5th Bde. R.A. v. Middlesex (Mil-
itary), 4.15 p.m.

Third Division
R.A.F. v. 24th Bty. R.A. (Kow-
loon), 2.45 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOV. 17
Second Division
R. Engineers v. Royal Scots (Mil-
itary), 2.45 p.m.

Third Division
R.A.M.C. v. R. Engineers (E) (St.
Joseph's), 2.45 p.m.

ANNUAL GOLF MATCH

St. Andrew's v. St. George's
On November 20

The following will represent St.
George's Society and the St. An-
drew's Society in the annual golf
match to be played at Fanling on
November 20:

St. Andrew's.—I. W. Shewan, S. J.
H. Fox, K. S. Robertson, A. K.
MacKenzie, D. J. Gilmore, R. Young,
C. M. Park, A. K. McKellar, W. J. S.
Key, W. Sharp, A. B. Purves, W. W.
C. Shewan, E. W. Kirk, N. K. Little-
john, A. S. Johnstone, R. K. Valen-
tine, C. M. Stark, W. A. Stewart, C.
C. Stark, R. M. Henderson, J. Forbes,
E. M. Bryden, K. S. Morrison, J. A.
D. Morrison, L. M. Wylie, T. Low,
R. S. W. Paterson, J. S. Dunnett, J.
A. R. Selby, A. S. Adamson, D. L.
Prophet, W. L. Alexander, A. H.
McBride, G. A. Leiper, J. R. Brown,
A. Nicol, R. K. M. Simpson, A. M.
Mack, L. A. R. Duncan, G. R. Riddell,
Carre, W. J. E. Mackenzie, J. Flom-
ing, E. Laidlaw, A. Murdoch, W. F.
Lockie, W. Park, M. G. Carruthers,
W. C. Crabbe.

St. George's.—O. E. C. Marton, T.
A. Pearce, L. R. Aitken, P. H.
Seaton, I. Newton, L. Goldman, S.
H. Dodwell, R. A. Camidge, F. J. de
Rome, A. D. Humphreys, A. Sommer-
felt, R. G. Parker, A. C. I. Bowker,
R. G. Gray, N. L. Smith, G. S. Arch-
butt, J. L. C. Pearce, H. H. Mundy,
B. D. Evans, G. E. Divett, C. W. E.
Bishop, C. W. Sewell, R. H. Hancock,
H. B. L. Dowbiggin, W. Hewitt, W. T.
Yoxall, W. Woodward, S. A. Sloop,
T. E. Pearce, Sir Geoffrey Northcote,
J. Harrop, W. M. Barton, Col. Mat-
thews, P. S. Cassidy, J. D. Danby,
G. W. Reeve, A. W. Hodges, R. Stock,
L. C. F. Bellamy, W. A. Cornell, C.
W. Jeffries, P. C. Jackson, H. S.
Jones, M. F. L. Haymes, H. V. Holt.



The four girls who represented the Diocesan Girls' School in the 400
metres women's open relay race at the South China A. A. sports over the
week-end. These girls won in the time of 55 seconds.—Mee Cheung.

SNOOKER AND DARTS

Results Of Matches In Steel Coulson League

The following were the results of
matches played in the Steel Coulson
Billiards, Snooker and Darts Leagues:

Naval Yard Police	Police R.C.	W	L	F	A	Pts.
Philpott	150 Downman	1	0	0	0	1
McAlister	150 Brown	1	0	0	0	1
Archie	150 Howlett	1	0	0	0	1
C. & P.O.R.C.	Garrison B/M.	W	L	F	A	Pts.
Berryman	150 Bennett	1	0	0	0	1
Honywell	150 Greenway	1	0	0	0	1
Hickstead	150 O'Connor	1	0	0	0	1
Police R.C.	C.C.C.	W	L	F	A	Pts.
Fender	122 Fogwell	1	0	0	0	1
Whant	107 Leonard	1	0	0	0	1
Howlett	150 Kitchell	1	0	0	0	1
League Table	P	W	L	F	A	Pts.
R. E. Sgts' Mess	2	2	0	0	0	1
Craigengower C.C.	2	2	0	0	0	1
Civil Service C.C.	2	2	0	0	0	1
Royal Naval Police	2	2	0	0	0	1
Police R.C.	2	2	0	0	0	1
Craigengower C.C.	2	2	0	0	0	1
C. & P.O.R.C.	2	2	0	0	0	1
Naval Yard Police	Police R.C.	W	L	F	A	Pts.
Philpott	150 Downman	1	0	0	0	1
McAlister	150 Brown	1	0	0	0	1
Archie	150 Howlett	1	0	0	0	1

BADMINTON SEASON COMMENCES

In the opening game of the badminton
season last night, St. Andrew's A beat
St. Andrew's B 3-1. Scores:

J. P. Dawson and M. Well beat S. A.
Broadbridge and F. H. Stokes 21-4, beat
H. R. Dally and L. Gibson 21-3, beat
Avery and J. Tomlinson 21-7.

F. V. Wong and A. S. Blue lost to
Broadbridge and Stokes 14-21, beat Darby
and Gibson 21-8, beat Avery and Tomlin-
son 21-12.
H. Kew and E. F. Fincher beat Broad-
bridge and Stokes 21-10, beat Darby and
Gibson 21-7, beat Avery and Tomlinson
21-5.

SOFTBALL MEETING

Representatives of Clubs intending
to join the Women's League are
urged to be present at a meeting of
the Hongkong Softball League to-day
at 9.30 at Brook Club.

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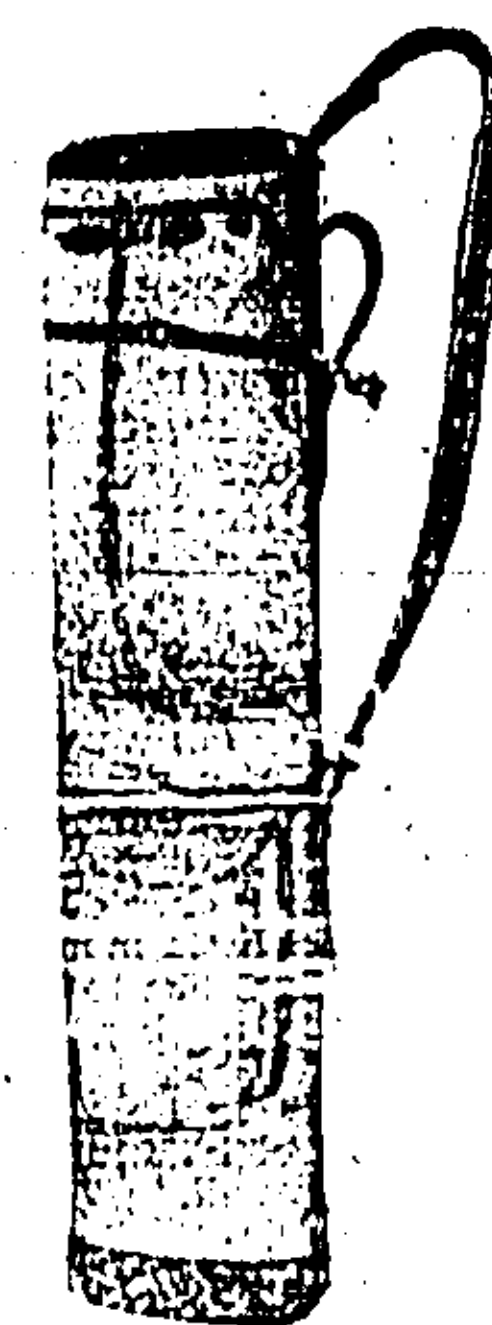
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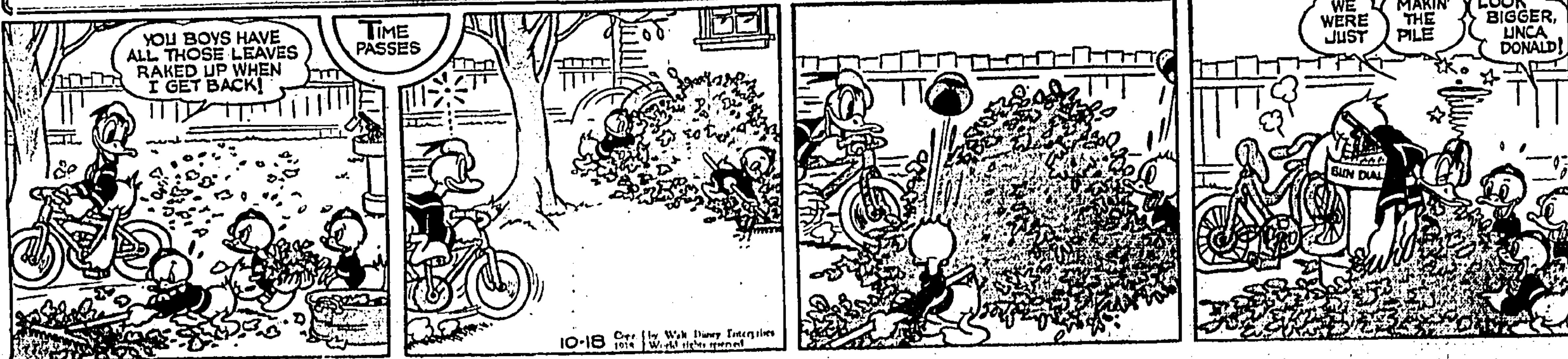
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Cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows, 3 sts. at the beg. of the next 4 rows, then dec. at the beg. and end of every alternate row 4 times (112 sts.). Continue straight on these 112 sts. for 3/4 inches, then shape shoulders:—

Cast off 9 sts. at beg. of next 8 rows. Then work neckband as follows: Cast on 32 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows (104 sts.), then work moss st. on these 104 sts. for 10 rows. Cast off in moss st.

Right Front

With grey wool cast on 70 sts. 1st row—P.1 and k.1, 4 times, p.1, k.1 11 sts.

2nd row—P.2 sts., k.1, p.1 to end. Keeping 9 sts. at front edge in moss st. continue in stocking web, dec. every 5th row 6 times at other edge (64 sts.), then inc. on same edge every 5th row 10 times (82 sts.). Shape armhole.—Cast off 6 sts. at armhole edge once. Cast off 3 sts. at same edge twice and then dec. every alternate row, 6 times (64 sts.). Work straight for 5 inches, then—

Shape neck.—Cast off 9 moss sts. at neck edge, and at same edge cast off 6 sts. once, 5 sts. once, 2 sts. twice (40 sts.). Continue to work straight on these 40 sts. until armhole measures 5 1/2 inches, then—

Shape shoulder.—Cast off 10 sts. at shoulder edge 4 times.

Left Front

Work as for Right Front, but in reverse, beg. 1st row K.1 11 sts. Moss 9 sts.

GREEN LEAVES

Homemaker's
Diary
by JANET JAY

TO-DAY let's plan a transformation scene for the bedroom. I do not mean a spring clean nor yet to scrap existing furnishings.

But you can work wonders in choosing up curtains and covers with remnants and short lengths of chintz, cretonne and cottons from the sales.

Small "flowery" patterns and all-over leaf designs are most practical for renovations because, being composed of soft mixed colours on neutral grounds, they tone in well with existing fabrics.

Adding a floral border to plain material is one quite good way of cheering up curtains which have shrunk a little in the wash.

Use a small patterned cretonne or shiny chintz, and make the border seven to nine inches deep, shortening the curtain a little more if necessary, but personally I like to keep the extra material as a backing for the border.

The double material at the hem gives extra weight and helps the curtains to hang well.

Two Fabrics

Avoid a straight line of stitching where the two materials join. One effective method of joining is to cut the shape of the flowers and leaves on the patterned material, tack this cut edge on to the curtain and buttonhole the two fabrics together.

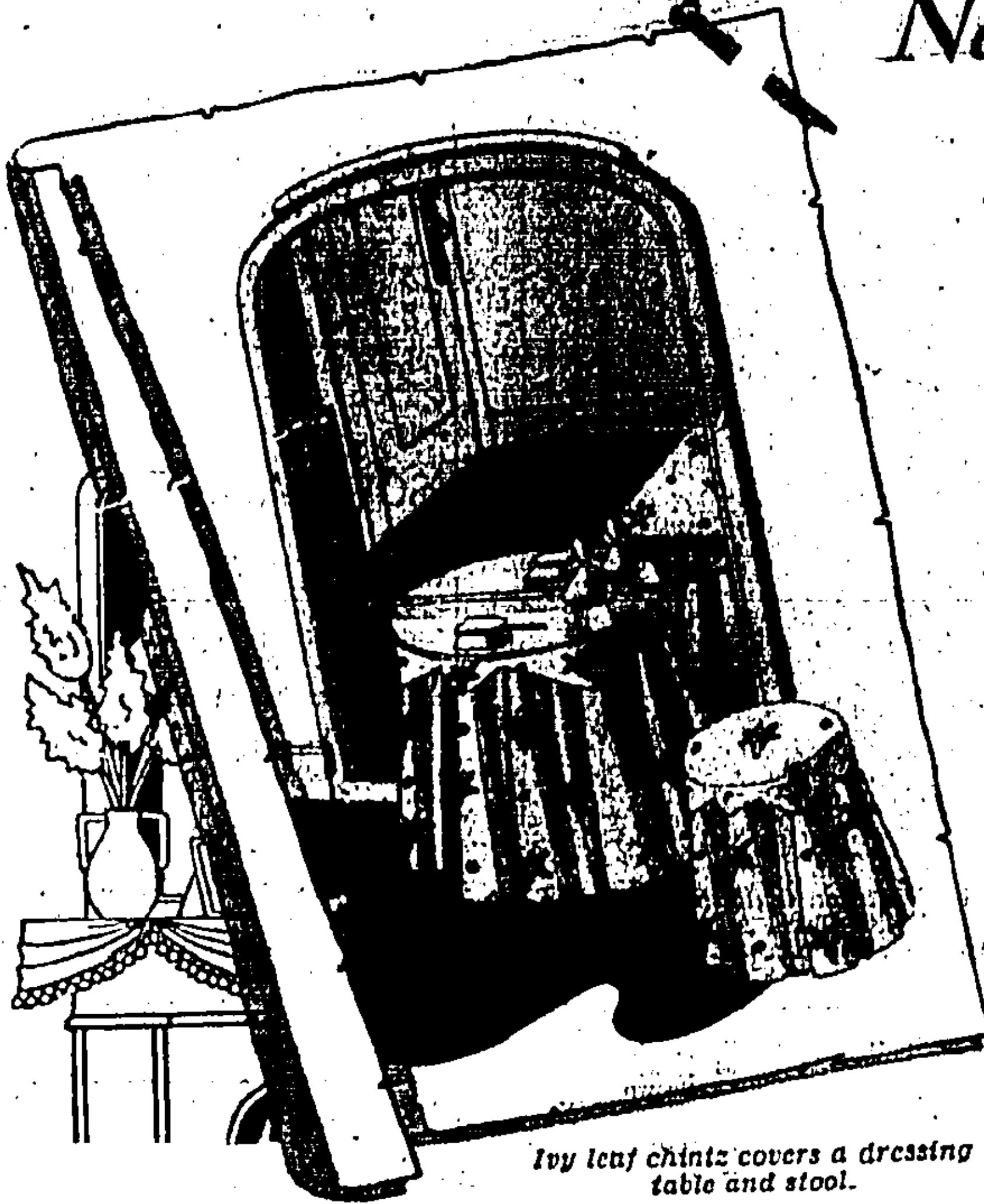
Then turn up the hem and slip-stitch the plain curtain fabric to the patterned one on the wrong side. Another idea for using up a short length of chintz is to make a draped pelmet for a bedroom window. You will need a length about twice the width of the window.

Join the ends and finish them with braid or narrow fringe, then drape the chintz across the top of the window so that it falls in soft horizontal folds, rather than where it touches the sides.

Sleeves

With grey wool cast on 100 sts., and work in moss st. for 10 rows, inc. at beg. and end of every 5th row. Then continue in stocking web, inc. at beg. and end of every 5th row 16 times (136 sts.). Shape top of sleeve.—Cast off 6

New Motifs for Chintzes



Ivy leaf chintz covers a dressing table and stool.

of the window frame, and let the ends hang gracefully at each side. Curtains which have seen a good deal of wear this year might be faced with some plain casement cloth, choosing cream or natural or a colour to match the leading colour of the room.

Lining Hints

I find it a good plan, when facing an old material with a new one, to shrink the new one before making it up by putting it through a warm soapy lather, then rinsing and ironing it while it is still on the damp side.

This saves any trouble due to the lining shrinking when the curtains are washed again later, but just for safety's sake slip-stitch the bottom hem temporarily so that adjustments can be made if necessary.

You will find short lengths of material extremely useful for re-covering bedroom chairs and ottomans. Well-covered flower and leaf patterns are good for these, as they wear clean and cut out economically.

If you have one of those comfortable fibre tub chairs with a sprung cushion, make the cushion a cover of glazed chintz, piping the boxed border with a colour in a sharp contrast. The newest idea for giving a neat finish to cushion covers is to fasten them with a slip.

I mention these covers not only for

sts. at beg. of next 2 rows, and then dec. at beg. of every row until 60 sts. remain. Cast off 5 sts. at beg. of next 12 rows.

Pockets (2 alike)

With grey wool cast on 45 sts., and work in moss st. for 10 rows, dec. at beg. of every row.

Change to stocking web and dec. at beg. of every row until all sts. are off the needles.

Frills

Pocket frills (2 pieces).—With blue wool cast on 54 sts. and work as follows:—

*1st row.—Knit. 2nd row.—Purl. Join in green wool and repeat from * to *.

Join in red wool and repeat from * to *.

Join in yellow wool and repeat from * to *.

Join in grey wool and knit 1 row. Cast off on next row (wrong side of work).

Front and Neck

Frills (2 pieces)

With blue wool cast on 300 sts. and work in stripes as for pocket frills.

To Make Up

Press all parts with a hot iron, under a damp cloth. Sew up side, shoulder and sleeve seams, making a one-inch dart at front shoulder seams, and easing back shoulder seam to fit.

Pleat sleeves at shoulder edge to fit armhole, and insert sleeves. Also make a pleat at elbow so that sleeve fits arm snugly. Press all seams. Sew the loose part of neck band to edge of neck.

Gather each 33 1/2 ins. length of frill, by cast off edge, to 23 ins., and join ends. Sew gathered frills to inner edge of moss stitch borders, arranging so that the frills face inwards down the fronts and upwards round neck. Sew in zip down the front.

Sew on pockets with one decreased edge in line with lower edge of jumper. Sew on pocket frills to inner edge of moss stitch.

the last two by washing them first), then machine stitch on the right side all round the flower sprays and leaves.

The whole of the design can be quilted in this way, or you could just quilt the more important parts of the pattern, leaving the rest plain.

If you quilt in diagonal lines of stitching so that the quilting forms an all-over diamond pattern, the lines of stitching being spaced one or one and a half inches apart.

You will find that quilted covers look well with a simple piped border, or you could edge them with a narrow pleated chintz frill.

Bathroom Curtains

There are all sorts of ways of using up smaller cotton remnants in the bathroom: for covering bathtubs, making slatted covers for hangers to protect delicate dresses, making wrappers for shoes and so on.

They all look very smart when bordered with contrast cotton bias binding to match your colour scheme. Don't forget that with flowered cushions you could make matching covers for the head and foot ends of an iron bedstead.

Floral cottons are particularly good for bathroom curtains as they do not get saturated with steam in the same way as a thicker material and they are very easily washed and ironed.

One cotton with a glazed surface covered curtains, all edges instead of being hemmed being bound with a contrast colour and the window finished with a plain Liffester cloth pelmet to match the binding.

Be sure to match the leading colour in the curtains to the general scheme of the bathroom.

Washing Leather Gloves

GLOVES destined for the wash basin are specially treated with oil so that water will not injure them, but like any other washable article they can be ruined by careless handling.

To retain their shape and original softness, gloves of this type demand gentle treatment, lukewarm water and generous suds.

Disolve the soap in hot water and then run in cold until the water feels almost cool to the elbow. All gloves except chambray should be washed on the hands.

Massage your gloved hands, using a soft-bristle nailbrush for the hard-ly soiled parts, but do not rub. Whisk up a fresh batch of suds if the gloves are very dirty.

Push off the gloves—never pull them—and squeeze the suds through the leather until it is thoroughly clean. Rinse in two lukewarm waters, to which a little soap has been added.

Squeeze out the water and then roll the gloves in a towel to remove as much of the moisture as possible. Blow into the gloves and shape them and hang up to dry. While still a trifle damp, rub lightly between the hands, to soften the texture.

Coloured gloves should be tested in clear water before washing to see whether the colour is fast. In case it is not, rinse the gloves, after washing, in small, clear water is absolutely colourless.

J. S.

Do Your Children Speak Well?

SOME children find it difficult to pronounce their words properly, and though some mothers like to prolong the "baby talk" stage as long as possible because "it sounds so sweet, great care should be taken that correction is not begun too late. Otherwise a child may be seriously handicapped at school having to endure agonies of teasing from other children and the disability may even persist into adult life with serious results. I know a woman who lost one or two good posts, because she will say "free" instead of "three" and never pronounces the "x" sound either. The result is an irritating property in words requiring it, such as "excitable".

Most speech defects arise from wrong management of the tongue, and "tongue drill" combined with sound exercises, given daily, is a very sure cure in all ordinary cases.

How to Cure Lipping
If a child lisses badly, it is a good plan to point out that in saying "s" the tongue is brought to the tip of the teeth instead of keeping it inside the mouth and pressing it fairly and gently against the top front teeth. If a child practises placing the tip of the tongue against the top front teeth in this way, he or she will soon be able to pronounce the "s" sound clearly. You can make this exercise into an amusing game if you get your child to hide a thimble or other small object for you to find, telling him or her to strongly "hiss" you the every time you look in the wrong rhythm by means of songs, exercises, placid parties by the way, provide or games in general to practise them in general speech training, as it encourages a sense of balance and plenty of exciting "hissing" games. Inability to pronounce "s" is in-coungers a sense of balance and plenty of exciting "hissing" games. In this case, after giving plenty of general social asset, and few mothers of "hissing" practice, teach the child to strengthen the tongue by saying children to acquire it.

R. B.

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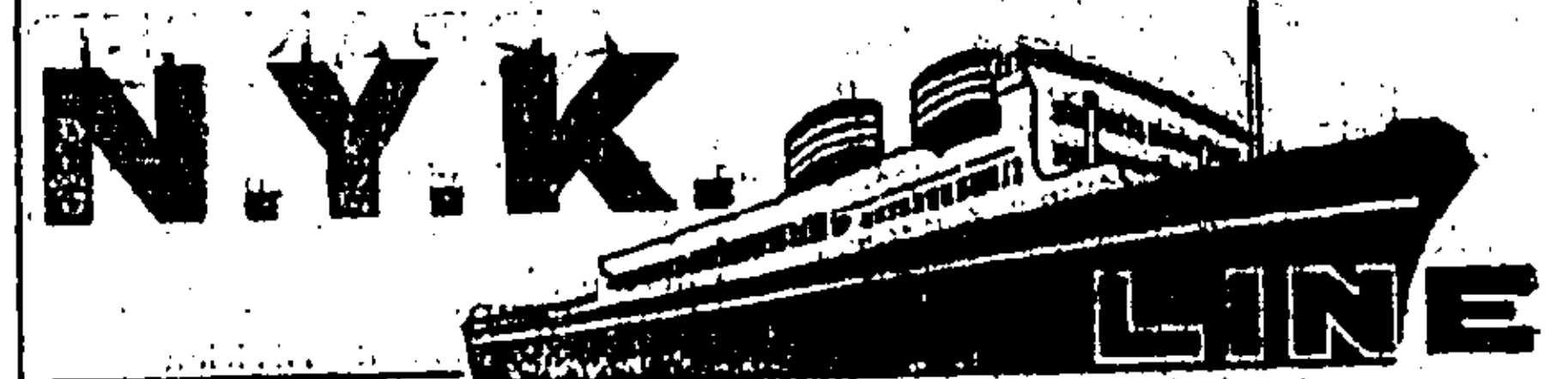
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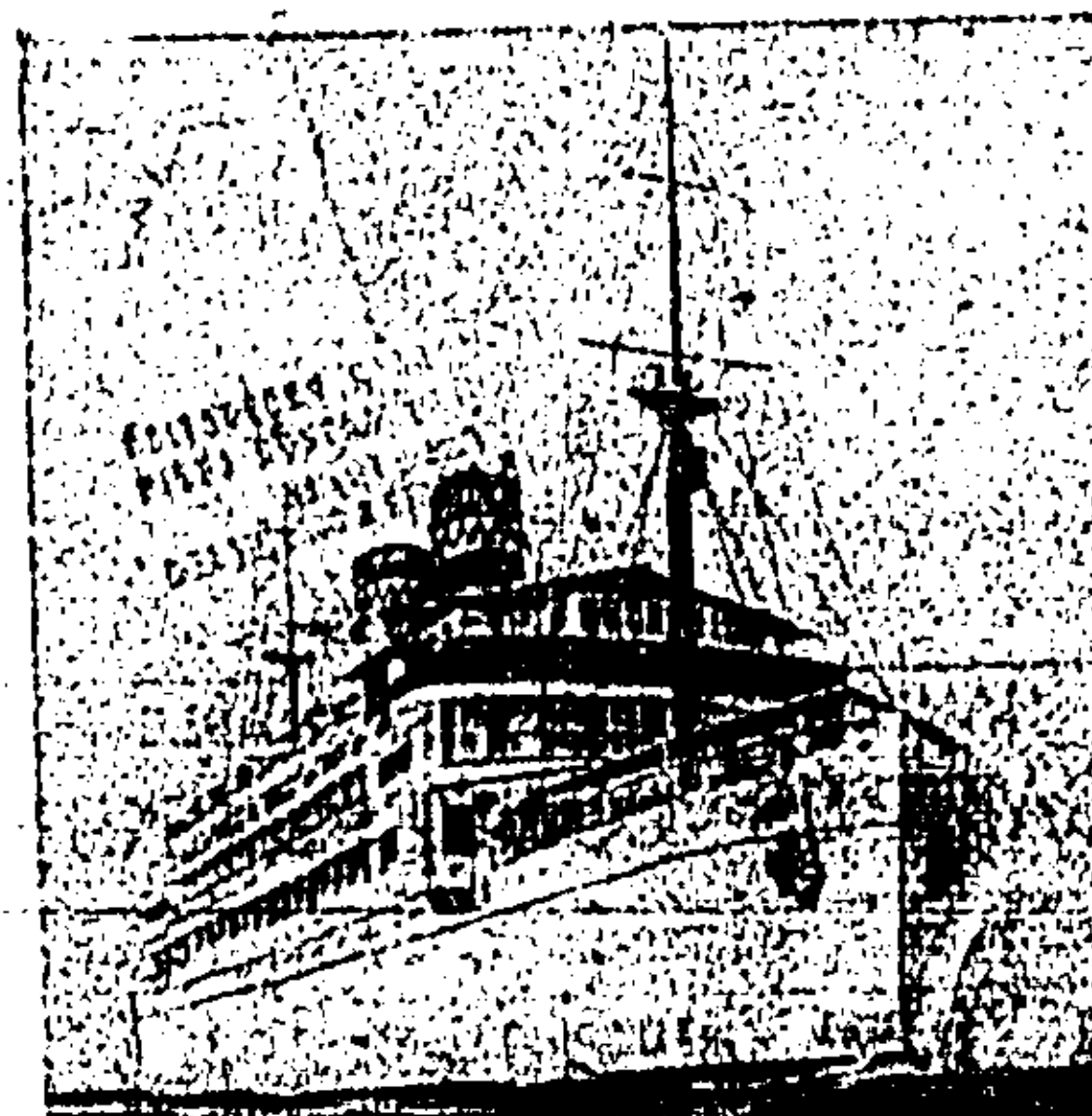
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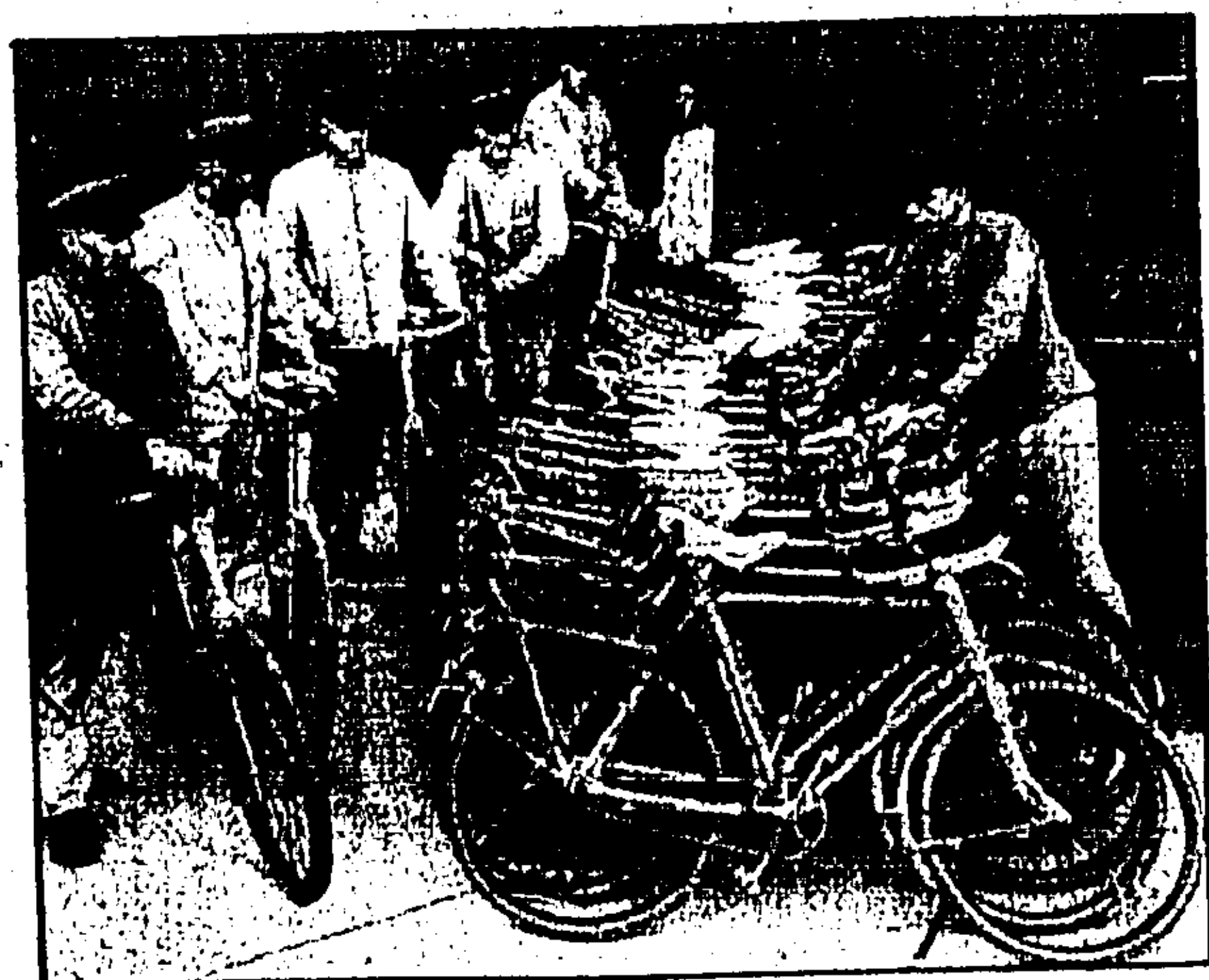
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Ordered recently by the War Office to stand by, five battalions from
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Slovakia. If they had gone they would have assisted in police duties
while the Sudeten territory was being taken over by Germany. Here
are men of the 1st Batt. Welsh Guards over-hauling lorries at
Wellington Barracks, and (left) stacking bicycles ready for
departure.



Scene in Barcelona, Spain, as workmen clear debris in the retail market section, after a bombing
raid by 15 insurgent airmen. Long lines of women were buying supplies when the raiders flew over.
Official report gave 31 dead and 112 wounded. This scene might have been anywhere in Europe,
but for the peace pact.



With the occupation of Sudetenland by German troops, hundreds of refugees fled to Germany
before war was averted returned to their homes. The group of Sudeten Germans above bridge alone
as they return to Czecho-Slovakia.

Sudeten Germans not only welcomed the Nazi troops that moved
into the area, ceded by Czecho-Slovakia to Germany after the four-
power peace parley at Munich, but made quick moves to be identified
with the Reich. Here a Nazi youth posts a sign changing a town
street name from Masaryk Street, for the late Czech president, to
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The Colony's Trade Isolation Of Canton Effects Felt

According to an early release of Hongkong trade figures yesterday, little effect was felt here last month by the closing of the Kowloon railway and the Pearl River.

If communications to South China had remained open, the October trade figures would have reached record heights.

It is expected that the full effect of Hongkong's isolation from South China will not be known until the present month's trading figures are available in the middle of December.

Following is a summary of the position:
Imports from South China: August \$9,422,737; September \$9,884,874; October \$9,851,045.
Export to South China: \$10,200,070; \$19,305,572; \$9,018,210.

Motor Lorry Exports
The export figure for September includes exports of motor lorries (\$1,148,713) and motor chassis (\$6,144,707) which were exported by road during the first nine months of 1938, and are now recorded for the first time. The figure of monthly exports is therefore \$12,012,092 for October.

It is interesting to see that since August exports to Kwangchow have almost doubled in value: August \$535,142; September, \$711,730 and October \$1,031,166. For the first time the exports of motor lorries and chassis are issued. They show that for the first nine months of 1938, 2,241 trucks valued at \$9,759,853 left Hongkong for all parts of China.

BAZAAR RESULTS

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul announces the following results of recent competitions:

Collegian's Permanent Wave, ticket No. 48, Miss R. Cheng.
Hand Painted Cushion, ticket No. 93; 1st consolation prize, ticket No. 163, Mr. J. M. Noronha; 2nd consolation prize, ticket No. 77, Mr. J. Baptista.
Doll's Raffle, ticket No. 63, Mr. Hillier.
Name of Dolly, pink ticket No. 31, Norma Chan (Norma); consolation No. 100, H. Dudman (Marie); blue ticket No. 81, Mrs. J. Gutierrez.
10 Cents Raffle, 1st prize No. 64, H. Dixon; 2nd prize No. 98, Mr. Figueiredo.
Surprise Cake, diamond ring, Mrs. E. M. H. Castro; gold bracelet, Mrs. Thoresen.

LATE NEWS

Many Forthcoming Weddings

Two European and ten Chinese forthcoming weddings are announced. Mr. Alexander John Gast, accountant, residing at the foreign Y.M.C.A., Shanghai, will marry Miss Daphne Mary Berthel, of 655 Yu Ya Ching Road, Shanghai; and Mr. Arthur William Thomas White, Sanitary Inspector, Aberdeen Police Station, will marry Miss Winifred Amelia Tyrrell, school teacher, of 82 London Road, Stony Stratford, Bucks, England.

The Chinese couples are: Mr. Lee Bing-cheung, salesman of the Ping Sing Knitting Co., Ltd., and Miss Cheung Choy-sing, of 38 Tang Lung Street, second floor, Hongkong; Mr. Anthony Wee Tong-lee, merchant, and Miss Rosemary Ma, of 80 Tai Po Road, second floor, Kowloon; Mr. Chu Pak-sang, merchant, and Miss Kwok Lun-fong, of 12 St. Francis Yard, second floor, Hongkong; Mr. Kenneth Chung, student, and Miss Chan San-fung, of 462 Castle Peak Road, ground floor, Cheung Sha Wan; Mr. Lam Man-ik, managing clerk, A. S. K. Lau & Co., solicitors, and Miss Tsang Lai-yang, of 23 Tang Wai-chun of 60 Kennedy Road; Mr. Leung Lap, engine driver, and Miss Chan Wai-fong, 227 Nathan Road, ground floor, Kowloon; Mr. Hung Chung-on, of 17 Connaught Road, and Miss Lau Chan-lin, of 16 Sul On Street, ground floor, Tai Po Market, N.T.

ARMAMENT SHARES UP Ironie Attitude to Policy By Chamberlain

London, Nov. 14.
The Stock Exchange's attitude toward Mr. Chamberlain's "Peace in our time" policy has been an ironical advance in armament share prices. From a low of 18s. 6d. on September 28, Vickers have jumped 35 per cent., representing a gain of £8,000,000 on their market valuation.

Baldwins have risen £3,000,000 and altogether the market value of the 10 leading companies associated with the armaments industry has increased by more than £20,000,000.

Although the increase is partly due to recovery from depressed values, it is also due to a fresh demand based on the belief that rearmament now will be pushed on a larger scale.—United Press.

OBITUARY

Noted Scottish Chief
Dies at Great Age

London, Nov. 14.
The death has occurred of The Mackintosh, Chief of Clan Chattan and Lord Lieutenant of Inverness-shire, at the age of 87.

Alfred Donald Mackintosh, or The Mackintosh, was the son of Alexander Mackintosh, of Mackintosh, and Charlotte, daughter of the late Alexander Macleod of Dalvey, County Moray. In 1880 he married Ella (Harriet Diana Arabella Mary), only child and heiress of the late Edward Priest Richards, of Plas Newydd, County Glamorgan. He was Honorary Colonel of the third battalion Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders and owned 124,000 acres in Inverness-shire.—Reuter Bulletin.

CZECH FRONTIERS Recognition Refused By Hungary

Budapest, Nov. 14.
The question whether Hungary is to accept the present frontiers of new Czechoslovakia as final was discussed yesterday between the Prime Minister Imredy, the Foreign Minister Dr. Koloman Kanya and M. Pataky, the State Secretary for minority questions.

Well-informed political circles believe that the Prime Minister M. Bela Imredy and the Foreign Minister have finally decided not to recognise the present new Czechoslovakian frontiers unless the Prague Government agrees to the practical application of the self-determination right by holding in Carpatho-Ukraine a plebiscite under international control.

Only after the realisation of this demand it would be possible for the Imredy Cabinet to concentrate on a solution of the pressing problems within the country.

Yesterday there were again demonstrations in Budapest for a common frontier between Hungary and Poland. The Hungarian national flag, which has been flying on the Liberty Square during the days of occupation of the ceded Czechoslovakian territory by Hungarian troops, was lowered to half-mast.—Trans-Ocean.

Reshuffling Cabinet

Budapest, Nov. 14.
Reshuffling of the Hungarian Cabinet, according to usually well-informed sources, is expected to-morrow after a session of the Government Party. It is generally expected that the new men will take over the Ministries of Justice, Agriculture and Industry. Some people go as far as to speak of the resignation of the Foreign Minister Dr. Koloman Kanya and mention the former Prime Minister, Dr. Kallman Daranyi, Count Oszky and Count Stephan Bethlen as likely successors.—Trans-Ocean.

ABDUCTION CHARGE

Hongkong Girl Sold
Over Border

CASE ADJOURNED

Accused of abducting a 15-year-old girl and selling her as an unemployed man, Chiu Chung, 38, his wife, Lau, 27, and another married woman, Chan Ho, 38, appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. They pleaded not guilty, and after evidence was heard, the case was adjourned to 12 noon on Wednesday.

Detective Sergeant C. Moltram prosecuted. It was stated that the girl, Ng Yop-mul, who lived in Shanghai Street, was sent by her mother to collect a debt from second defendant on April 9. The second defendant told the girl to follow her and went to third defendant's house in Portland Street. There, first defendant threatened the girl and told her to obey him, saying he was going to take her away and sell her.

The girl was kept in the house for three days, when a woman named Ng Ma-chai (who could not now be found), called and discussed the girl's price. Ng later took the girl by train into Chinese territory and sold her to a man for \$175. This man and his family eventually came down to Tai Po to escape the Japanese air raids, and the girl managed to report to the police, who were able to trace the defendants.

First defendant, in evidence, declared that the girl had come to him asking for shelter, saying her mother would kill her as she had been seduced. As he could not look after her, defendant took her to third defendant's house. He did not know what had happened after that.

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Prepared to Associate With United States

LONDON, Nov. 14.

IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS to-day, Mr. H. Sutcliffe (Cons.) drew attention to President Roosevelt's warning to Japan with regard to American trade with China, and asked whether the British Government would associate itself with the American action, with the object equally of protecting British trade.

Mr. R. A. Butler replied: "Yes."

Replying to another question, Mr. Butler said the Government had had no communication with the United States regarding the re-assembly of the Brussels Conference, or the Nine-Power Treaty signatories.

BRITISH ADVISER'S ACTIVITY

China Worried By
Movements In North

SHANGHAI, Nov. 14.
THE "SHANGHAI EVENING POST" in an editorial to-day says: "Explicable misgiving is reported to be felt by Chinese Government officials as a result of reports that the British Embassy's commercial adviser, Mr. Hall Patch, has been conducting conversations in connection with Chinese currency."

He has been travelling in North China, Dairen and Japan, and among others, has seen the British Ambassador to Japan, Sir Robert Giffard. "We believe it unwise to speculate too freely concerning his activities, which are necessarily of a confidential nature, yet the fact cannot be ignored that the Chinese seem to regard themselves possessed with disquieting information."

"Britain so far has undoubtedly played an important part in keeping China's currency up."

Our best information has been that such a position would be continued, and this view is bolstered as a result of last week's speech by Mr. R. A. Butler in the House of Commons.

"It is unfortunate that any rumours concerning the dispatch of activities should be started if they are baseless, and an explicit official statement in this connection would be welcomed."

—United Press.

**Ambassador
Said On Way
To Chungking**

Sir Archibald Kerr Clark Kerr, British Ambassador to China, left Kwelyang for Chungking yesterday morning, according to a message from Kwelyang appearing in to-day's Hongkong Ta Kung Pao.

Mr. Arthur Henderson (Lab.) asked the Government if it was still prepared to co-operate with the United States in re-affirming the principles of the Nine-Power Treaty, and whether it would co-operate with the United States on the basis that the Sino-Japanese dispute was a matter of continuing concern to them as signatories of the treaty.

Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, referred Mr. Henderson to his speech in the debate on November 9 as regards the first part of the question. He said that the British Government was at all times prepared to maintain close touch with the United States in matters of common concern.

Mr. Henderson asked whether, in view of the fact that the Japanese Government was acting in flagrant opposition and contravention to this treaty, if it was not about time, after 18 months, that something should be done.

Mr. Butler said he thought he made the position clear on November 9. Mr. Henderson asked whether Mr. Butler then was merely dealing with the question of the Open Door, and asked whether the Nine-Power Treaty should not only be dealt with, but also the question of the independence and territorial integrity of China.

Mr. Butler again referred Mr. Henderson to his November 9 speech, and said he thought Mr. Henderson would, perhaps, find it wider and better than he thought.

Mr. Noel Baker asked if Mr. Butler would state whether the Government would stand by the principles of the Nine-Power Treaty, to which Mr. Butler replied: "Yes Sir."—Reuter.

**Crisis Hits
Britain's
Trade**

**Heavy Decline In
Imports, Exports**

LONDON, Nov. 14.
The effects of the recent crisis on the British trade are revealed in the latest returns.

They show that while imports in October were £79,094,000 compared with £75,000,000 in September, and exports were £42,559,000 compared with £30,808,000 in September, imports showed a decline of £2,170,000, and exports of £2,450,000 compared with October, 1937.

For the first ten months of this year, imports aggregated £769,000,000, a decline of £63,000,000 compared with the corresponding period of last year. Exports were £389,000,000, which showed a reduction of £43,000,000.—Reuter Special.

ARABS TO PUBLISH STATEMENT

Defining Position
In Palestine

CAIRO, Nov. 14.
BRITISH PRESS reports concerning the readiness of the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem and other members of the former Arab High Committee, to negotiate with the British Government, and to take part in the projected round table conference, are declared in circles close to the Grand Mufti to be inaccurate.

These circles affirm that the Grand Mufti sees in the British Government's demand for the exclusion of accredited Arab leaders from the London conference, on the pretext that they are associated with terrorism, the British Government's determination to deprive the Arab movement in Palestine of its real leaders, in the hope thereby, of defeating the movement.

It is added, in the same circles, that England evidently hopes to achieve her objects in Palestine with the help of the pronounced Anglophile Arabs like Amr Abdallah, but this hope, it is stressed, is doomed to disappointment.

On the other hand, it is pointed out, the Grand Mufti and other Arab leaders would be prepared to negotiate with the British Government on the basis of the minimum demands put forward by the Pan-Islamic Congress in Cairo.

It is further announced that Arab leaders will shortly publish a statement regarding the latest British proposals.—Trans-Ocean.

**RECORD-BREAKING
PLANES AT BRISBANE**

The three Welliesley bombers which made the record non-stop flight from Egypt to Port Darwin have arrived in Brisbane.

Shanghai, Nov. 15.
Travelling by special plane from Hankow, Father Jacquinot returned to Shanghai yesterday, and immediately called on the French Ambassador, M. Naggiar.

It is learnt that in the course of the meeting, Father Jacquinot revealed that the food situation in Hankow was acute at present, but that a happy solution was expected shortly.—Reuter.

**Most H.K. Children Are
Named John, Patricia**

John is the most popular boy's name in Hongkong, while London's first choice of Mary and Scotland's Margaret have, in Hongkong, given way in popularity to Patricia.

These interesting facts have been discovered by the "Telegraph" following a compilation of local children's names supplied by the Registrar of Births. These data have only been taken for non-Chinese children as from January 1, 1938.

Patricia leads in popularity being the name given to thirteen children in Hongkong since the beginning of the year.

Anne, Ann and Anna, if grouped together, would have held first position as they number 14.

Marie (5) and Maria (5), also grouped together, are the next favourite names, followed closely by Elizabeth (8) and Mary (8).

Next in order of popularity are Maureen (5), Frances (4), Barbara, Diana, Helen and Josephine (3), Claire, Elsa, Evelyn, Bernice, Beatrice, Sheila, Sylvia, Nancy, Lorraine, Heather, Marjorie, May, Joan, Jill and Lorna (2), Adele, Agnes, Adelaide, Avril, Alice, Beverly, Brenda, Beale, Catherine, Carol.

(Continued on Page 4.)

Chinese Vessels Facing Disaster

THE RAPIDLY RECEDING Yangtse River is threatening the remainder of the Chinese fleet with disaster.

With the outbreak through Tungting lake to the Siang River completely bottled up by the Japanese occupation of Yochow, the movements of the Chinese vessels are greatly restricted.

Due to the rapid fall of the Yangtse they cannot move up-stream towards Chungking, and their movements now are restricted to the river area between Yochow and Ichang.

At the same time the fall of the Yangtse will greatly hamper Japanese naval operations and it is believed that within a fortnight they will cease altogether.

The entire Japanese fleet has now successfully penetrated the Chinese mine-field and boom at Chenglingchi, and is now 780 nautical miles from the sea.

The occasion is believed to be unique, especially if the Chinese warships make a last stand between Yochow and Ichang. No naval battle has been fought before so far from the natural element of warships—the sea.—Domet.

Hankow's Acute Food Shortage

Shanghai, Nov. 15.
Travelling by special plane from Hankow, Father Jacquinot returned to Shanghai yesterday, and immediately called on the French Ambassador, M. Naggiar.

It is learnt that in the course of the meeting, Father Jacquinot revealed that the food situation in Hankow was acute at present, but that a happy solution was expected shortly.—Reuter.

**ITALIAN PRINCESS
ENGAGED**

Rome, Nov. 14.
The engagement of Princess Maria, youngest and the last unmarried daughter of King Victor Emmanuel, to Prince Louis de Bourbon of Parma, is announced.—Reuter Special.

**Funeral Of
Marseilles
Fire Victims**

Marseilles, Nov. 14.
The funeral of the 72 victims of the catastrophic fire in the famous Rue La Canebiere took place to-day. Ten thousand soldiers and policemen had been called out to prevent any possible untoward incidents in the form of Communist demonstrations.

The funeral procession was over three kilometres in length, and two hours elapsed before the entire procession reached the cemetery of St. Pierre.

The spectacle of the long line of hearses, bearing coffins which disappeared from view amid countless wreaths, was most moving.

Walking in the procession were representatives of President Lebrun, and the Government, as well as all leading ecclesiastical, military, naval and civil authorities.

Upwards of half a million people, many of whom came from various parts of the South of France, lined the route.

At the cemetery, speeches were delivered by the Bishop of Marseilles, Monsignor Delay, and by the Minister of the Interior, M. Sarraut.—Trans-Ocean.

**Foodstuffs
For Starving
Spaniards**

London, Nov. 14.
The British Government is consulting with its representatives in Spain with regard to the possibility of reaching an agreement whereby the contending Spanish parties will refrain from interfering with the passage to Spanish ports of certain vessels carrying foodstuffs on behalf of the approved relief organisations.

stated Mr. R. A. Butler, in the House of Commons to-day.—Reuter Special.

**Hines To
Stand Trial
January 9**

New York, Nov. 14.
At the general assembly to-day, Judge Nott fixed January 9 next for the opening of the second trial of Mr. Jimmy Hines, former Tammany leader, who is charged with political bribery.—Reuter.

"JEWS NOT ADMITTED"

BERLIN, Nov. 14.
IN ALL SHOPS in Munich the following notice is now prominently displayed: "NO JEWS ADMITTED."

Youthful Nazis, raiding Jewish homes to-day, forcibly seized the Iron Crosses won by several Jews during the Great War.—United Press.

Aid For German Refugees

Church Assembly Prays
For Understanding

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 14.
AN OPEN LETTER to the Government urging the promotion of measures to aid Jewish refugees from Germany, has been sent by the Dutch democratic movements, the members of which are from all political parties, except the extremists.

Similar messages have been sent to Queen Wilhelmina, Princess Juliana and Prince Bernhard.

A committee, representing over 1,000 Dutch intellectuals and humane societies are also urging the authorities to open the frontiers to German refugees, and to give them facilities to establish camps.

The municipality of Naardend has placed an empty orphanage at the disposal of 200 German-Jewish children.

The Amsterdam Diamond Exchange has decided to take measures jointly with the Belgian Diamond Exchanges with the object of preventing members giving work to Germans.—Reuter Special.

VIOLATION OF GOD'S WILL
London, Nov. 14.
The Archbishop of Canterbury, speaking in the Church Assembly to-day with regard to the happenings in the world, suggested that an expression of the meeting's thoughts should be given in a way he thought to be more appropriate than any public discussions—in prayer.

"Let us lay before God the continued violation of his will, such as the miseries inflicted on the people of Spain, the cruel slaughter in China, and the recent outbreak of renewed fierce persecution of the Jews in Germany," declared the Primate.

The Assembly then stood in prayer.—Reuter.

U.S. WATCHING KEENLY
Washington, Nov. 14.
The Government is observing Germany's latest measures against the Jews with keen interest, declared Mr. Cordell Hull at to-day's press conference.

He added that his conversation with the German Ambassador on (Continued on Page 4.)

**Double-Deck Bus Plan
Threat to Kowloon Trees**

NATHAN ROAD'S trees or double-decker buses. It appears that Kowloon cannot have both.

The Kowloon Motor Bus Company, which operates all Kowloon bus services, has put forward plans for the introduction of double-decker buses on the principal routes on the mainland.

These buses cannot operate, however, unless a large number of trees lining Nathan Road are removed.

The Traffic Department is believed to be in favour of the removal of a considerable number of trees, for traffic reasons apart from the proposed introduction of double-decker buses.

The Kowloon Residents' Association is almost certain to insist, however, that the trees remain.

Although the K.R.A. has received no reply to its suggestion that trees should be planted along other roads, that traffic officials are opposed to the plan.

Government is still considering the matter, and has called for a report from the Botanical and Forestry Department.

Anglo- Italian Pact

IN OPERATION
TO-MORROW

LONDON, Nov. 14.
MR. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN, in a written reply in the House of Commons to-day announced that the Anglo-Italian agreement would come into force on November 16.

Mr. Chamberlain also intimated that the British Charge d'Affaires had requested that the attention of the competent authorities in Berlin be drawn to the rights of British residents in Germany. The Charge d'Affaires had also reserved the right to present claims for damage.

There were many supplementary questions. Mr. Noel Baker asked the Premier to endeavour to find some means, either alone, or in collaboration with other Powers, whereby he would make known to the German Government the deep feeling of horror which has been aroused in Britain among all sections of the people by the action taken against the Jews.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that there were many means of making that known; in fact he did not think there could be any doubt about it.

Asked whether the Government would show the feeling of the country by attempting to do something for the victims, the Premier declared that the question could not be answered without notice.

The Prime Minister gave the same answer to the question whether he would consider having consultations (Continued on Page 4.)

LATE NEWS

ONE BRITON AMONG THE AIR HOSTESSES, THE— Girls Who Cross Europe To Work THEIR JOB IS TO TALK

—in Many Tongues

—and ALL At 9st.

When Miss Laurie Steele, slim 26-years-old brunette, stepped into a Dutch K.L.M. air liner at Croydon recently, she was entering not a mere means of conveyance, but her place of employment.

She is the only British stewardess serving on a Continental air route. Among the petite, polyglot, trim-uniformed "air hostesses" who have become such familiar figures at European airports, she is the only one speaking English as her mother-tongue.

There are, you see, two opposing schools of thought on the subject of feminine attendance in the air.

WHY SHE IS UNIQUE

Those in favour hold they exercise a soothing influence on nervous passengers, and with their social grace, induce an easy, friendly atmosphere *en voyage*; those against contend that men make the more efficient stewards and all-purpose attendants.

And since British air lines operating Continental services are numbered among "those against," you will understand just why Miss Steele is unique.

"Am I lucky to get the job!" she exclaimed to me, just before setting off for Amsterdam and her aerial duties. "I was air hostess in Australia for a year, but I wanted to see the European capitals and keep my job in the air at the same time. It seemed a hopeless prospect, but I approached the K.L.M. agent in Sydney on the off-chance."

"It means I have to be in the air six days a week instead of having three to myself, as in Australia, but it is worth it, if you love flying and enjoy constantly meeting and doing your best to help fresh people."

The feminine attendants of the skies are first and foremost vivacious girls with a real love of flying and a strict sense of duty; add to that the intelligence and conversational powers of a woman of the world, the linguistic ability of a professor of languages, the sympathy of a nurse, the domesticity of a housewife—and only then will you understand why so many call but so few are chosen for the position of air hostess.

To restrict things even more, only girls below nine stone in weight need apply.

Let's talk to some more of them... "Romance? Oh No!" Margit Kellikova, appointed out of 400 applicants to Prague-London service of Czechoslovak C.L.S. Line, who, at 23, not only speaks her father's Czech and her mother's French but English, German, and

Russian too:

"I have flown 200,000 miles since the beginning of the year, and loved every mile of it," she said.

"Men passengers are generally more nervous than women. The women just read, or look out of the window; the men just talk and talk, and it's part of my job to entertain them."

"Romance?" she gurgled, "Nobody has ever asked me to marry yet."

"Pilots? Oh!" (with a dashing smile at the two of them who had brought her from Prague) "I know too much about them. I think they have a wife in every airport!"

"30 WEDDINGS"

Ann Becker, of the Royal Dutch line, displays a double row of pearly teeth every time she smiles—which makes the pilots talk about toothpaste advertisements.

"These cheeky devil pilots," she said to me in mock disgust. "Our stewardesses generally leave the service after two or three years, most of them to get married."



ARMISTICE DAY WEDDING. The Rev. Victor Dixon and his bride, the former Miss Emily Blanche Foulie, after their recent marriage at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.—Staff Photographer.

"But not often to pilots. Sometimes to members of the ground staff or officials of the line. Never to passengers. Romance and business don't mix in the air."

Lou Van Der Meulen is at 24, a "veteran" of the K.L.M. Line. She has been with it for more than three years.

"About 30 hostesses have left to get married in my time, but I can't see anything like that happening to me. I should have to leave the service, and I'm much too keen on flying."

"When I first became a hostess I was told to think of the plane as my home and the passengers as my guests, and that is how I try to behave."

"I used to be a nurse in a children's clinic, and had never flown until I took on this job."

Footnote.—The attitude of Imperial Airways to air hostesses is this (in the words of an official): "We consider men to be the more efficient and welcome attendants. After all, you never meet a stewardess in a train."

Rancher Earl Sells Castle

Avon Castle, lovely Hampshire home of the 24-years-old rancher Earl of Egmont, is about to change hands.

Negotiations for its sale to Mr. H. J. Colebrook, a London surveyor, have been proceeding for some time, and an announcement about the deal will probably be made shortly.

Mr. Colebrook has offices in Old Burlington-street, W., and lives at Fulmer Hall, Buckinghamshire. He is Master of the New Forest Buckhounds, whose kennels are at Brockenhurst, only ten miles from Avon Castle and its 1,300 acres of beautiful meadows and woodland.

Several bids, the highest being about £40,000, have been made in recent years for the property, but have been refused.

It has been suggested recently that the market price is between £70,000 and £80,000.

MEALS IN KITCHEN

White and turreted, Avon Castle will always be associated with the tragedy and romance of the life of the present Earl of Egmont, Frederick George Moore Percival, who is now living in the wide open spaces of Canada with his wife and baby son. With his father, he lived modestly in the castle for a few years after the courts had decided, in 1930, that their claim to the earldom was valid.

They used only three or four of the 40 rooms, did their own housework, cooked for themselves, and had meals in a kitchen.

Six years ago the father was killed in a motor smash. Frantic with grief, the young earl forsook the castle, and went to work as a paid farmhand in Calgary, Canada. He then married his cousin, Miss Ann Geraldine Moodie, who—with the blood of the Royal Stuarts of Scotland in her veins—was working as a dentist's assistant.

They visited England early this year but they did not settle in the castle which has been in the possession of the Egmont family since 1912, when the ninth earl bought it.

Wife Thought Husband In Gaol—Met Him in Cafe

After going from friend to friend for three weeks in the hope of raising £250, which might secure her husband's release from prison, the fair-haired artist wife of 50-years-old Major Gerald Stapley recently set out for the Old Bailey from her little caravan at Thames Ditton, Surrey.

She had failed in her efforts and she went to have a last glance at her husband before—as she thought—she was sentenced.

Stapley, formerly a major in the Royal Artillery, had, at the previous session, pleaded guilty to obtaining credit while an undischarged bankrupt, and reference was made to his former £10-a-week flat in Mayfair.

The Common Sergeant, Mr. Cecil Whiteley, K.C., postponed sentence until yesterday, remarking that he might be influenced if Stapley paid his debts.

EMPIRE NEWS MINING EMPLOYMENT IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney. The years since the Great War have shown curious fluctuations in employment figures in Australia's mining industries.

In 1935, the latest year for which official figures are available, there were nearly 70,000 persons engaged in mining of all kinds. Of these 33,113 were engaged in gold, 5,120 in silver, lead and spelter, 1,898 in copper, 4,474 in tin, and 18,933 in coal mining.

The total figure represents 988 per 100,000 of the population.

In 1901 miners numbered 2,992 per 100,000. In 1911 the figure was 2,109 while 10 years later it had fallen to 974. In 1931 it was 684.

In some types of mining, for example, gold, silver and lead, zinc, copper and tin, the natural supplies of the country have been gradually depleted. Other mining industries have been affected by the development of overseas competition and the growth of mechanisation.

In gold mining, however, the increased price of gold has led to a surprising increase in the absorption of labour during the last five or six years. Even so, the figures for 1935 in this branch of the mining industry are very far removed from the 1901 figures, when 70,972 persons were employed.

SOUTH AFRICA

NEW ARCHBISHOP ENTHRONED

Cape Town. The Rt. Rev. J. R. Darbyshire, formerly Bishop of Glasgow and Galloway, was recently enthroned Archbishop of Cape Town.

The new archbishop, who is 58, was vice-principal of Ridley Hall, Cambridge, from 1908 to 1913, and vicar of the Cathedral Church, Sheffield, from 1922 to 1931. He was consecrated Bishop of Glasgow and Galloway in 1931.

He was described as "deceased" in the voters' list. Mr. August Meyers, a United Party election agent, was not allowed to vote for his party's candidate, Mr. H. Abrahamson, who was contesting the Weenen, Natal, constituency. Mr. Abrahamson was returned, and had Mr. Meyers been allowed to vote for him, his majority would have been exactly 2,000.

BURMA

PROTEST AGAINST EMERGENCY ACT

Rangoon. The enactment of the Rangoon Emergency Security Act by the Governor of Burma, Sir Archibald Cochrane, has been characterised as "a grave constitutional blunder" by the "Myanmar" party, a prominent Parliamentary Opposition group.

The Myochit party has sent a long memorandum to the Secretary for India and Burma, the Marquess of Zetland, urging the annulment of the Act.

The Act, which followed the recent rioting in Rangoon, gives police officers certain powers of arrest without warrant.

Gas Mask Fraud: Villagers Paid Gang 2s. 6d. Each

West country police are investigating a big gas mask fraud. A gang of men have travelled through country districts ahead of air raid warnings informing villagers that in order to get a gas mask they must pay 2s. 6d. in advance.

They are believed to have defrauded villagers of a large sum of money. Police have descriptions of some of the men.

Mrs. Ireland, of Radpole, near Weymouth said: "A man called and told me that there was 2s. 6d. to-day. I refused to pay until I got my gas mask, but many other people I know paid."

"TOO WONDERFUL"

Describing his conduct as disgraceful, and warning him that if there were any complaints in future he would be sent to prison, Mr. Whiteley bound him over for three years.

About the same time Mrs. Stapley, and faced, had arrived at a restaurant near the court, and there she was amazed to come face to face with her husband. He had been released without her knowing it.

The surprise was almost too much for her, but she rushed forward and embraced him, and exclaimed, "Darling, this is too wonderful."

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Actress' Quest for Ghost Bed

In the long gallery of Rufford Abbey, Notts, haunted, it is said, by the wraiths of a monk, a child, and an elderly woman who died there centuries ago, hundreds of people recently watched the break-up of another great Dukeries household.

The home of the Saviles for three centuries yielded up the first batch of its famous collection, accumulated from every corner of Europe. Beds in which kings have slept, and specimens of every kind of workmanship, ranging from tapestry to armour, will find new owners among millionaires, actresses and dealers.

Miss Frances Day, the actress, arrived to bid for a bed which, says tradition, is haunted by the ghost of a child murdered in the Abbey centuries ago.

She was disappointed. The bed will not be offered until later.

One of many purchases by Mrs. van der Elst was a sedan chair for which she paid 28 guineas.

Next month the 15,000-acre estate, the 500-acre park, the abbey itself with chapel and crypt, many farms, and the greater part of six Nottinghamshire villages will be offered for sale in lots.

At the end of the session 220 lots of a total of 3,000 had realised more than £20,000 for Sir Albert Ball, the present owner, who bought the estate from Lady Savile and her 19-year-old son, Lord Savile.

An oak coffer fetched 150 guineas, a refectory table 120 guineas, and eight Chippendale chairs 460 guineas.

GRACIE'S "IDEAL" CONDUCTOR

Gracie Fields will have Louis Levy, famed for his broadcasts of "Music from the Music," and "You Shall Have Music," as guest conductor while she makes her Tribute Performance for the London Hospital Bicentenary Appeal, in the Albert Hall.

She considers him to be the "ideal" conductor to accompany her singing, and he is doing so at her special request. He will be going to the concert straight from a broadcast.

Some of Britain's greatest artists are taking part as a contribution to the Appeal, at the invitation of the News Chronicle. With Gracie they form an outstanding programme.

There will be Reginald Foort, the world-famous organist; Harold Williams, the oratorio baritone; Walter Widdop, the dramatic tenor; and Lance Dossor, the coming pianoforte celebrity.

Voronoff Talks Of Brain-Oil

Serge Voronoff, high priest of rejuvenation, has worked for years perfecting his method of grafting monkey glands so that men may live 150 years. His offer was youth for age. Hundreds of people have found it irresistibly attractive.

Convinced that some of his patients may add half a century to man's maximum span, Voronoff is now leaving this work to his imitators, calls it too easy.

Instead, he is working on what he thinks is a more difficult, more worth-while task of making dull children brainy.

In London recently on a brief visit he talked at the Dorchester about his life's work. Though Voronoff has never experimented on himself, he is a fine figure of a man, stands 6ft. 3in., and at sixty-nine still has the wiry body of an athlete.

"There is a limit to age," he said, and that is an admission for him, for once he thought that by monkeys man might rival Methuselah.

Then he began to talk about his work with children whose development, both physically and mentally, had been arrested, for whom no cure was known. He grew more excited. Hands, arms, were flung in spacious gestures, eyes shone.

'A MIRACLE,' SAYS HE

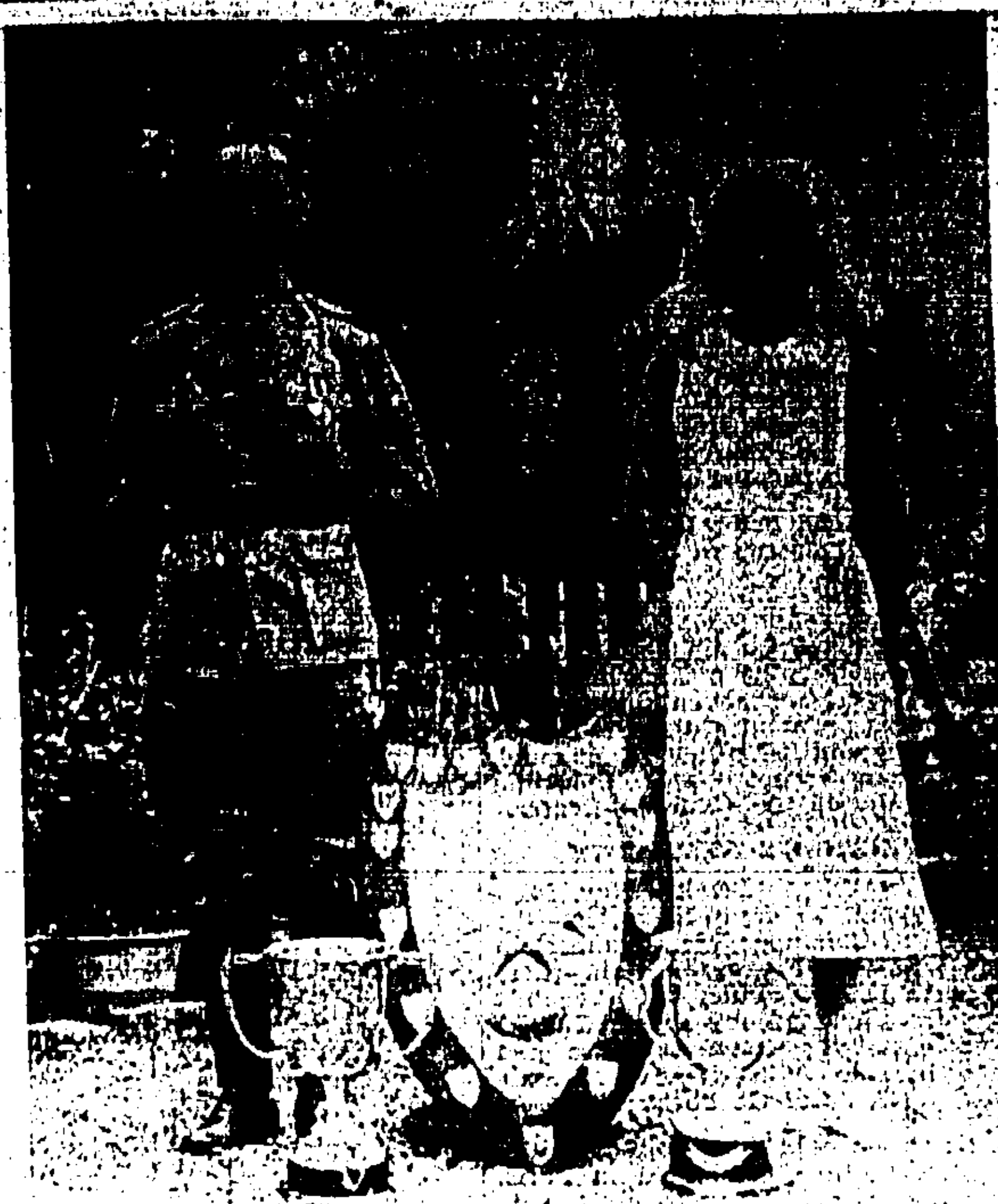
"What I have done, others can do. What is certain is that a vast number of unfortunate children may be restored to health and intelligence by this method of grafting."

Such arrested development is caused, Voronoff said, by failure of the thyroid gland to function. He called the thyroid "brain-oil."

His first case, details of which have just been given to the surgeons of France, goes back to 1915. A twenty-year-old youth had never grown up, stood only three feet six, "was, in fact, a complete idiot." No apes were available for grafting, so he used his own thyroid gland.

Another graft with monkey gland was made later. In two years the youth looked and was a normal intelligent man.

"That simian thyroid graft truly worked a miracle," declared the surgeon.



Mr. Fan Shu-nam, Superintendent of the Mongkok Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, and one of the nurses photographed with the cups and shield won by the Division.—Yuen Chun Studio.

"Radio Bishop" Of 38 Will Be Sunday Censor

Dr. James William Welch, 38-year-old Principal of St. John's College, York, is to succeed the Rev. F. A. Iremonger as Religion Director of the B.B.C. as from April 1, 1939.

In effect he will be Bishop of Broadcasting. He will not only control all broadcast services from London, the Regions, and the Empire, but an important extension of his work involves the virtual censorship of all Sunday programmes.

Nothing will be allowed on the air on that day which has not first been read by him.

Morning services and certain studio services are also taken by the Director of Religion, not as part of the routine duties, but as a voluntary effort.

The most difficult task of all, perhaps, is the contact with charitable organisations and churches. Two committees—the Appeals and Religious Advisory—help him select those organisations which are to be allowed to broadcast during the "Week's Good Cause" and from which church services shall be relayed.

LITTLE KNOWN

Dr. Welch is a Church of England clergyman of wide experience, but he is little known at Broadcasting House.

He is very popular among his friends in York and much liked by progressive churchmen.

He served during the war with the H.A.C., subsequently training at the Knutsford Ordination Test School under Canon F. R. Barry. From 1921 to 1925 he was at Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge, and from 1925 to 1926 at Westcott House. He was then ordained curate of Gateshead Parish Church and remained there until 1929 when he took up missionary work in Southern Rhodesia.

"FRESH AND FRIENDLY"

He has been Principal of St. John's since 1935.

At Broadcasting House those few who know him tell me he is "Fresh, friendly and enthusiastic."

Dr. Welch said: "I am afraid I cannot make any statement on what I propose to do or what my policy will be."

The appointment is still six months ahead and I have been appointed on the advice of other people knowing practically nothing about the work, certainly not sufficient to justify me in now stating a policy which will take months of actual experience to decide."

Mr. Iremonger, formerly vicar of Verulam Dean, was due for retirement on reaching the age of 60 in July.

CRASH PROOF PETROL TANKS

Britain's air pilots will be saved from their most dreaded peril—being burnt alive in a crash—by the invention of a retired official of the Air Ministry.

The invention, approved by the Ministry after initial tests, is a "crash-proof" petrol tank which is seamless and rivetless and will stand up to violent battering and twisting or bursting.

Tests were carried out by dropping the tanks from various heights. Four have now been fitted to Airspeed Oxford monoplanes for service tests.

Always Got His Man

Divisional Detective-Inspector John Henry—the detective who always got his man—is about to retire.

It was his efforts that led to the capture of George Brain. Brain, found guilty of the "Lovers' Lane" crime, was at the Old Bailey sentenced to death for the murder of Muriel Rose Atkins.

CASSERLEY CASE

Before he was caught he spent a week hidden in a cave at Sherrin. Inspector Henry was chief police witness in the Casserley case, in which Edward Royal Chaplin was found guilty of the manslaughter of Percy Arthur Casserley, and sentenced in May to 12 years' penal servitude.

The Inspector is well known in the West End, for most of his service was at Bow-street, with the Flying Squad, and at Cine-street.

War Mail Costly

Mena, Ark. Postal service between here and Spain's battle fronts is slow and expensive. A letter written by Robert Mr. Pike, who is with the 6th division of the Loyalist forces, was four months in reaching Hugh Gore. The letter carried 82 cents worth of stamps on it.

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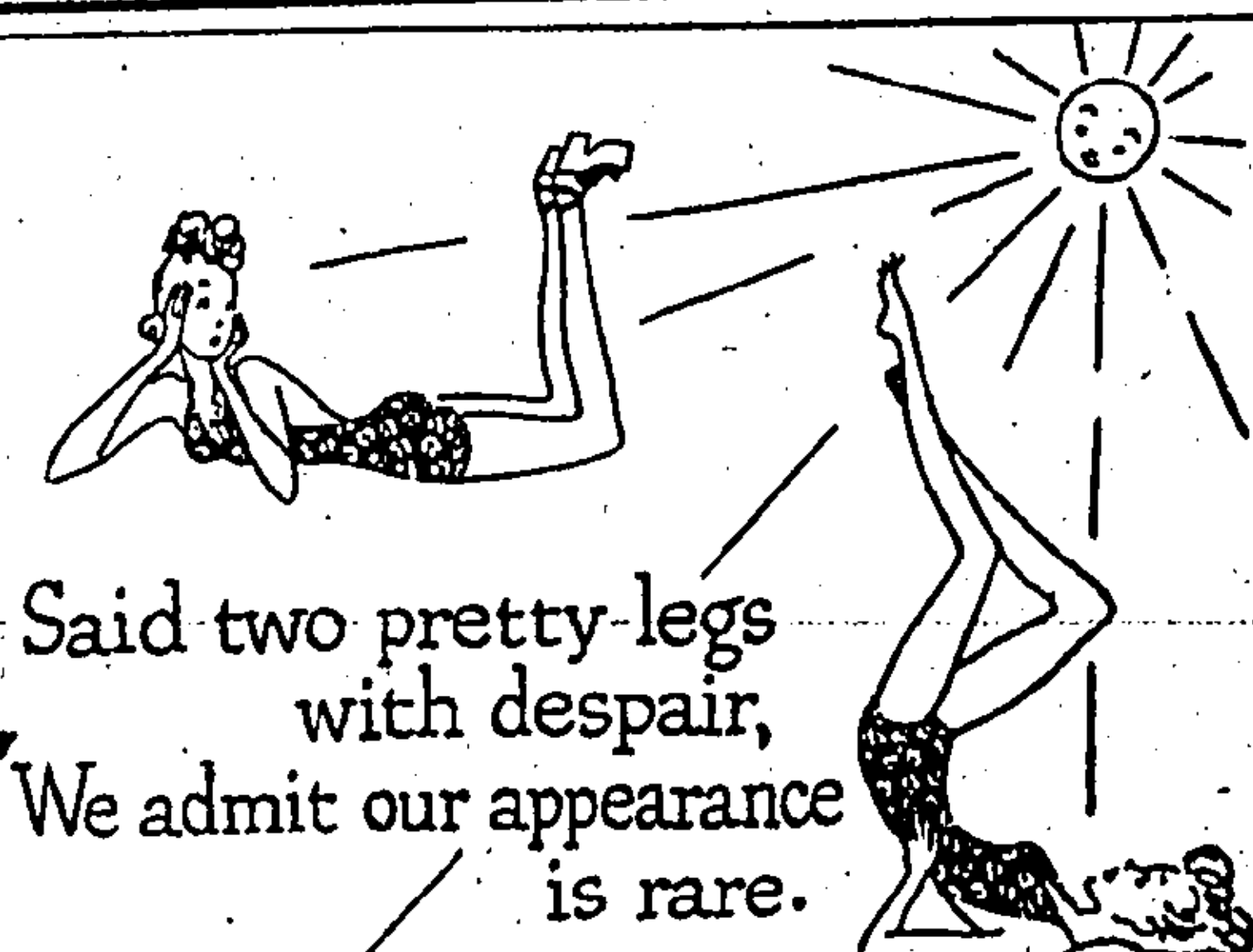


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War Editorials

ONE of the most impressive
editorials of the hundreds
we have read on the recent
European crisis appeared in the
New York Times. It led the
page, without heading, and it
was a simple plea that through-
out the land, houses of worship
should include in their devotions
a prayer that peace and under-
standing would come to the
world.

The absence of spiritual con-
siderations has been one of the
remarkable elements of modern
diplomatic relations as well as
of modern commerce. The Ver-
sailles and Trianon treaties were
written in an atmosphere that
many regarded as irreligious.
Invocation of the Deity, how-
ever hypocritical it may be in
some circles, was wholly absent
in the Paris deliberations, and
in view of the purposes of some
of the negotiators, it was prob-
ably more honest that God was
left on the outside.

People who deemed the treat-
ies cursed by this circumstance
can make a good case for their
belief in the past twenty years'
history. The treaties by their
complete avoidance of spiritual
elements and their emphasis on
purely material considerations,
bred their own destruction.

Every newspaper in the world
has written many thousand
words on war, racial persecution,
crises and the other curses that
beset civilisation to-day, but none
come closer to the mark than
the hope that Divine guidance
may be available to repair the
wreck that materialism has
made of people and countries.
That hope, and its frequent ex-
pression, is worth more toward
a permanent solution than all
the sideline strategy and diplo-
matic shibboleth that has been
placed before the public this past
six months.

ARAB versus JEW

A debate giving both sides
of the Palestine question



ARABS are waging a
campaign of terrorism
throughout Palestine.

It is the old trouble of the
administration of the Bri-
tish mandate over Palestine
to provide a national home
for the Jews while protect-
ing the interests of the
native Arabs.

This time the trouble is
graver than ever before. In the
unceasing flow of Jewish immi-
gration into Palestine the Arab
sees economic and national
annihilation.

To emphasise the problem
which confronts the British
Government in bringing peace
again to John Bull's other Is-
land I here quote the arguments
of the rival Jew and Arab as
they were put to me by Mr.
M. Shertok, head of the politi-
cal department of the Jewish
Agency in Jerusalem, and Abdul
Hadi Bey, secretary of the Arab
High Committee.

Mr. Shertok: The aim of the
present Arab disturbances is to
force the hand of the British
Government by violence to
abandon the principle of the
mandate.

Abdul Hadi Bey: Nothing of
the kind. All the Arab is trying
to do is to force the Govern-
ment to administer the man-
date fairly. Jews are being
allowed to crowd into Palestine
at such a rate that within a few
years the Arabs will be a
minority. The Arab High Com-
mittee which is conducting a
peaceful strike of protest at the
refusal of the Government to
stop immigration does not con-
done violence. The shooting
and rioting is a spontaneous
outburst of the people them-
selves who see their lands and
livelihood being taken away
from them. Neither I nor my
colleagues can stop it. If the
strike was called off to-day
violence would still continue.

Mr. Shertok: Rubbish! The
Arab is economically better off,
for the presence of the Jew and
Jewish capital which has
brought £100,000,000 into the
country, than he has ever been
before. The Palestinian Arab is
better off than his brethren in
Egypt, Syria, or anywhere else.
Because of employment given
by Jews the Arab population
has increased by 60 per cent.
since the war, mainly by Arabs
flocking in from neighbouring
countries to share in the new
prosperity.

Abdul Hadi Bey: Don't try to
make out that the Jew is in
Palestine for the good of the
Arab! The Jew is building a
national paradise for himself
and making a hell for the Arab.
The Jew is conquering the
whole of Palestine by financial
and political means even as the
Italians conquered Abyssinia.
The Arab is an agriculturist and
for him all riches are in the
land.

He cannot live away from the
land. Now with their unlimited
capital the Jews are buying
that land and driving him into
the towns to work at menial
tasks as wage-slaves.

Already the Jews have taken
all the best plains for cultiva-
tion and have bought over
1,600,000 dunams (quarter
acres) out of the 6,450,000
dunams of cultivatable land in
Palestine.

According to experts every
Arab needs 120 dunams of land
to support himself and his
family. As far back as 1929
there was only an average of 80
dunams left per Arab family and
there is less still now.

Mr. Shertok: That is a com-
plete distortion of the facts.
Arabs do not sell all their land
to the Jews. As a rule they sell
a section at a handsome price
and with the cash go in for in-
tensive farming on the remain-
ing section.

Given capital in this way to
sink wells, provide irrigation
systems, buy machinery, the
Arab is economically better off
with a smaller area of land.

Villages which have sold land
to the Jews are better off than
villages which have hoarded
their land. Further, Abdul
Hadi Bey's figures for the
amount of cultivatable land in
Palestine are an underesti-
mate.

The Jew by scientific means
is turning vast tracts of desert

and barren hillside which the
Arabs never dreamed of culti-
vating into fertile farms.

Abdul Hadi Bey: A very in-
genious theory, but it does not
work out in practice in such a
benevolent way. The Arab is a
simple fellow who is no match
for the Jew in business matters.
What actually happens is
that a Jew comes along to an
Arab farmer and asks him
what his land is worth to him
a year.

If it is worth an income of
£200 the Jew will offer him
£2,000—a fabulous sum in the
eyes of the fellahen—and will
tell him how he can invest the
money to bring himself in his
original income without work-
ing.

The Arab foolishly takes the
money and he and his family
and tenants all lose their safe
nabourage on the land. Unable
to exploit his £2,000, the Arab
fritters the money away and he,
his family, and dependents are
left penniless.

Mr. Shertok: The large town
population of Jews have opened
up an enormous market for the
agricultural produce of the
Arab farmers, who can always
produce cheaper than the Jew
farmers.

The Jewish immigrant be-
comes a customer of the Arab
from the first moment he
lands in Palestine.

FACTS

Population of Palestine—760,000
Moslems, 307,000 Jews, 100,-
000 Christians.

1917.—Balfour Declaration —
Britain favoured the immigra-
tion of Jews, but recognised
rights of non-Jews.

1922.—Government White Paper
emphasised the right of Jews
to be in Palestine.

1923.—League of Nations Man-
date granted to Britain.

In addition, the Jew capi-
talists have built up for the
Government a surplus of
£6,000,000. Not only has this
surplus enabled the Arab
farmers to be relieved of their
taxes year after year but it has
enabled the administration to
carry out an ambitious pro-
gramme of social services all of
which mean employment for
the Arabs.

Abdul Hadi Bey: Then why
is it that every commission of
experts which has investigated
this matter since 1929 has
stated that the Arabs have
genuine grounds for grievance
and have recommended the
stopping of Jewish immigration
and land sales to Jews? Why
is it that the British Govern-

ment has not put these recom-
mendations into effect?

Mr. Shertok: Because his-
tory has decreed otherwise.
The mandate has decreed a
national home for the Jews in
Palestine and Great Britain will
not go back on her word.

You Arabs have countries
twenty times the size of Pale-
stine in which you can develop
your nationalist aspirations.
The Jews have only the tiny
country of Palestine in which
to work out their own salvation.
In striking and rioting the
Arab is committing economic
suicide.

Abdul Hadi Bey: You have
not answered my question.

The reason why the recom-
mendations of the experts who
have visited Palestine have not
been carried out is because of
the tremendous pressure of
Jewish vested interests and
propaganda on the British
Government.

Never were such powers more
evident than when Mr. Ramsay
MacDonald calmly explained
away the White Paper which
promised us justice. The
trouble is that the Arab is in-
articulate.

He has no newspapers and no
representatives in the House of
Commons. Now he is desper-
ate and is making himself
heard with rifle shot and bomb.
Do you blame him?

Mr. Shertok: Yes.

Freethinkers—And Freedom

By "AN OLD STAGER"

OVERSHADOWED by the alarms
of the international political
situation, a more limited controversy
has been waged with ardent
vehemence during the past two or
three months.

It has related to the Conference of
Freethinkers, dubbed by their
enemies "the militant Goddess,"

which has been held in London. The
question which has bothered the
embellished antagonists is not so much
whether Freethinkers are right as
whether Britain ought to permit such
meetings at all.

The tussle really dates back to a
few weeks before the rising of a
weary Parliament for the long recess,
when a stout Tory, Captain Ramsay,
presented a Bill designed to prevent
foreigners organising meetings in this
country for the purpose of anti-
religious propaganda.

The Bill got its first reading, a
formality, but it has now passed in-
to dust-covered limbo because there
was neither time nor perceptible
inclination to debate the matter
further.

But that does not alter the
principle of the thing. The Bill was
presented by a persistent critic of
the policies and "ecologies" of the
Soviet Union. He is regarded in
Parliament as a somewhat extreme
right-wing supporter of the Govern-
ment.

"Red" Propaganda

Captain Ramsay is a sincerely
religious man, and has a horror of
Sovietism's famous diatribe, "Religion
is the opium of the masses," a saying
often attributed to Lenin, but actually
the announcement of a comparatively
obscure party official.

Some M.P.s abstained from voting;
but broadly speaking, Unionists
supported Ramsay, and the Op-
position voted against him. In fact,
several Government men joined
with the Opposition, and several
Labour-Liberal men supported Ram-
say. If I had been M.P. I would
have voted against Ramsay's Bill. I
do not like it.

Captain Ramsay's point is that the
League of the Militant Goddess is
not so much a group of free-thinkers
such as those who emerged in
Victorian days, nor that it is merely
atheistic; he maintains that it is a
cover-up for active Communist
propaganda.

This may be correct. M. Jaroslavsky,
a Communist writer, states frankly
that:—"The revolutionary proletariat
is not concerned with a merely paper
war of the old style of free thought."
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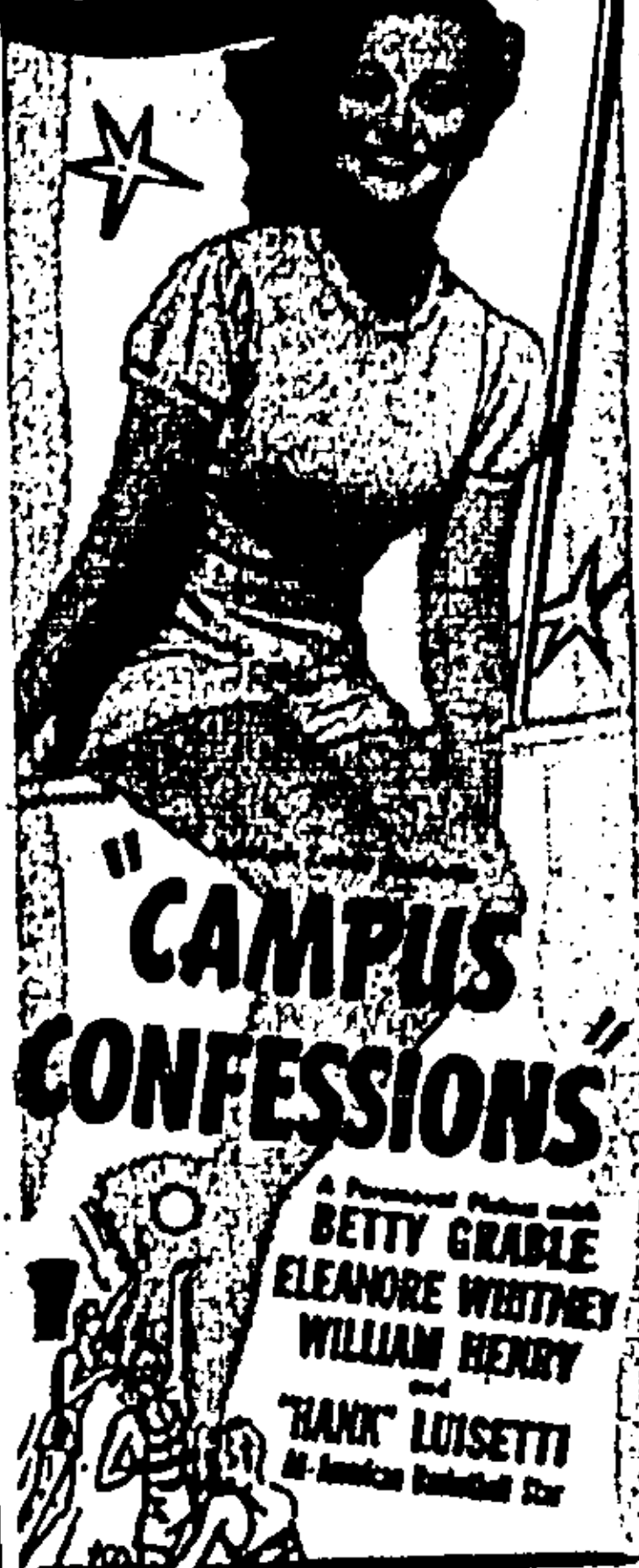


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Yachting

Women's Event Sailed

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race, held by the Royal Hongkong
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miles. "A" class started at 14.45 and
"Y" class at 14.55. Results:

Class	Finished	Corrd.	Pos.	Pla.
Jan (Mrs. M. Johnson)	10.37.15	1	1	324
Artemis (Miss M. Whitham)	10.39.10	2	2	289
Kittiwake (Miss M. King)	10.40.25	3	3	256
True Blue (Mrs. A. Waddell)	10.40.24	4	4	225
Isabel (Mrs. F. M. Morris)	10.40.35	5	5	190
Gull (Mrs. L. Stanton)	10.41.10	6	6	109
Jean (Mrs. V. Cowland)	10.41.30	7	7	144
La Linda (Mrs. M. I. Johnstone)	10.42.30	8	8	121
Koala (Miss M. Corringham)	10.42.45	9	9	81
Redshank (Mrs. M. L. Lee)	10.43.15	10	10	64
Joan (Mrs. V. Macmillan)	10.43.25	11	11	49
Eve (Mrs. L. Bader)	10.43.35	12	12	49
Widgeon (Mrs. H. Crawhall Wilson)	10.43.40	13	13	100
Winkie (Mrs. M. McCulloch)	10.43.45	14	14	144
Sirius (Mrs. K. Trenchard Davis)	10.43.45	15	15	121

FOOTBALL MATCHES ARRANGED

The following matches in the local
Junior Divisions have been re-

arranged:
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16
Second Division
5th Bde. R.A. v. Middlesex (Mil-
itary), 4.15 p.m.

Third Division
R.A.F. v. 24th Bty. R.A. (Kow-
loon), 2.45 p.m.
THURSDAY, NOV. 17
Second Division

R. Engineers v. Royal Scots (Mil-
itary), 2.45 p.m.

Third Division
R.A.M.C. v. R. Engineers (E) (SL
Joseph's), 2.45 p.m.

ANNUAL GOLF MATCH

St. Andrew's v. St. George's
On November 20

The following will represent St.
George's Society and the St. An-
drew's Society in the annual golf
match to be played at Fanling on
November 20:

St. Andrew's—1. W. Shewan, S. J.
H. Fox, K. S. Robertson, A. K.
Mackenzie, D. J. Gilmore, R. Young,
G. M. Park, A. K. McKellar, W. J. S.
Key, W. Sharp, A. B. Purves, W. W.
C. Shewan, E. W. Kirk, N. K. Little-
john, A. S. Johnstone, R. K. Valen-
tine, C. M. Stark, W. A. Stewart, C.
C. Stark, R. M. Henderson, J. Forbes,
E. M. Bryden, K. S. Morrison, J. A.
D. Morrison, L. M. Wylie, T. Low,
R. S. W. Paterson, J. S. Dunnett, J.
A. R. Selby, A. S. Adamson, D. L.
Prophet, W. L. Alexander, A. H.
McBride, G. A. Leiper, J. R. Brown,
A. Nicol, R. K. M. Simpson, A. M.
Mack, L. A. R. Duncan, R. Riddell,
Carrie, W. J. E. Mackenzie, J. Flem-
ing, E. Laidlaw, A. Murdoch, W. F.
Leckie, W. Park, M. G. Carruthers,
W. C. Crabbe.

St. George's—O. E. C. Marton, T.
A. Pearce, L. R. Andrews, P. H.
Scoones, I. Newton, L. Goldman, S.
H. Dodwell, R. A. Camidge, F. J. de
Rome, A. D. Humphreys, A. Sommer-
felt, R. G. Parker, A. C. I. Bowker,
R. G. Gray, N. L. Smith, G. S. Arch-
butt, J. L. C. Pearce, H. H. Mundy,
B. D. Evans, G. E. Dwyer, C. W. E.
Bishop, C. W. Sevel, R. H. Hancock,
H. B. L. Dowling, W. Hewitt, W. T.
Yoxall, W. Woodward, S. A. Sloop,
T. E. Pearce, Sir Geoffrey Northcote,
J. Harrop, W. M. Barton, Col. Mat-
thews, P. S. Cassidy, J. D. Danby,
G. W. Reeve, A. W. Hodges, R. E. Lock,
A. H. Penn, J. R. Collis, H. Overy,
L. C. F. Bellamy, W. A. Cornell, C.
W. Jeffries, P. C. Jackson, H. S.
Jones, M. F. L. Haymes, H. V. Holt.



The four girls who represented the Diocesan Girls' School in the 400
metres women's open relay race at the South China A. A. sports over the
week-end. These girls won in the time of 65 seconds.—Mao Cheung.

SNOOKER AND DARTS

Results Of Matches In Steel Coulson League

The following were the results of
matches played in the Steel Coulson
Billiards, Snooker and Darts Leagues:

Billiards	Snooker	Darts
Naval Yard Police v. Police R.C. 150-87	Philpott v. Norrington 58-43	Garrison Sgts. Mess v. Police R.C. 3-2
Philpott v. Norrington 150-87	Curry v. P.O.R.C. 40-30	Police R.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 2-1
McAllene v. Arices 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	Royal Naval Police v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 2-1
C. & P.O.R.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	Craigengower C.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 2-1
Berryman v. Greenway 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	C. & P.O.R.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 150-87
Helstead v. Brown 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	Royal Naval Police v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 2-1
Police R.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	Craigengower C.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 2-1
Fender v. Howlett 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	C. & P.O.R.C. v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 150-87
Howlett v. Fender 150-87	Helstead v. Brown 40-30	Royal Naval Police v. Garrison Sgts. Mess 2-1

Naval Yard Police v. Police R.C. 150-87

League Table	P W L F A Pts.
R. E. Sgts. Mess	3 2 0 5 1 5
Craigengower C.C.	2 2 0 4 2 4
Civil Service C.C.	2 1 1 4 3 4
Royal Naval Police	2 1 1 4 3 4
Police R.C.	2 1 1 4 3 4
Garrison Sgts. Mess	2 1 1 4 3 4
C. & P. O. R. C.	2 1 1 4 3 4
Naval Yard Police	2 1 1 4 3 4
Police R.C.	2 1 1 4 3 4

BADMINTON SEASON COMMENCES

In the opening game of the badminton
season last night, St. Andrew's A beat
St. Andrew's B 5-1. Scores:

J. P. Dawson and M. Well beat S. A.
Broadbridge and F. H. Stokes 21-8, beat
F. R. Derry and L. Gibson 21-8, beat
Avery and J. Tomlinson 21-7.

Y. V. Wong and A. S. Ellis lost to
Broadbridge and Stokes 16-21, beat Derry
and Gibson 21-9, beat Avery and Tomlin-
son 21-12.
H. Kew and E. F. Fincher beat Broad-
bridge and Stokes 21-10, beat Derry and
Gibson 21-7, beat Avery and Tomlinson
21-5.

SOFTBALL MEETING

Representatives of Clubs intending
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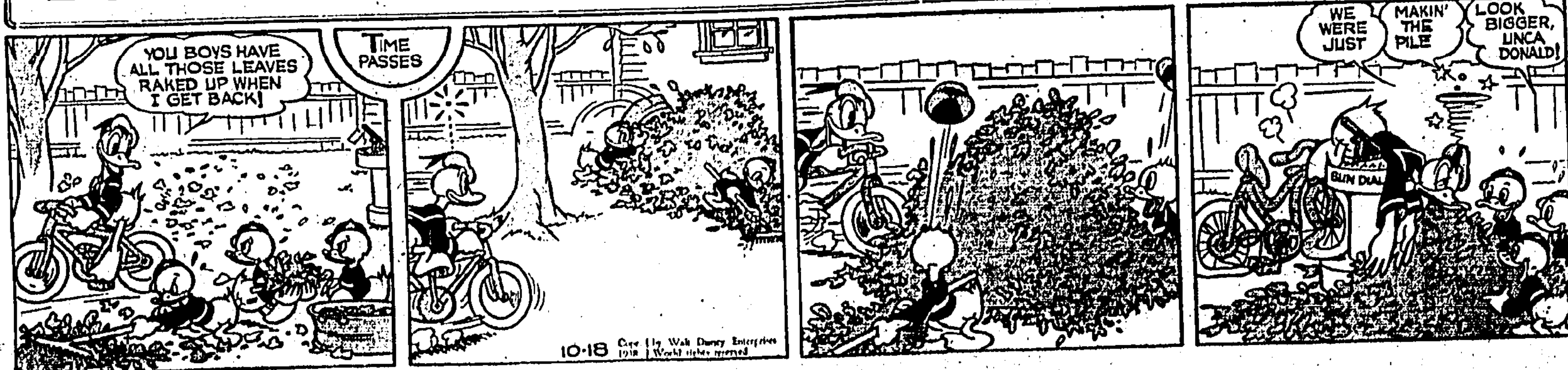
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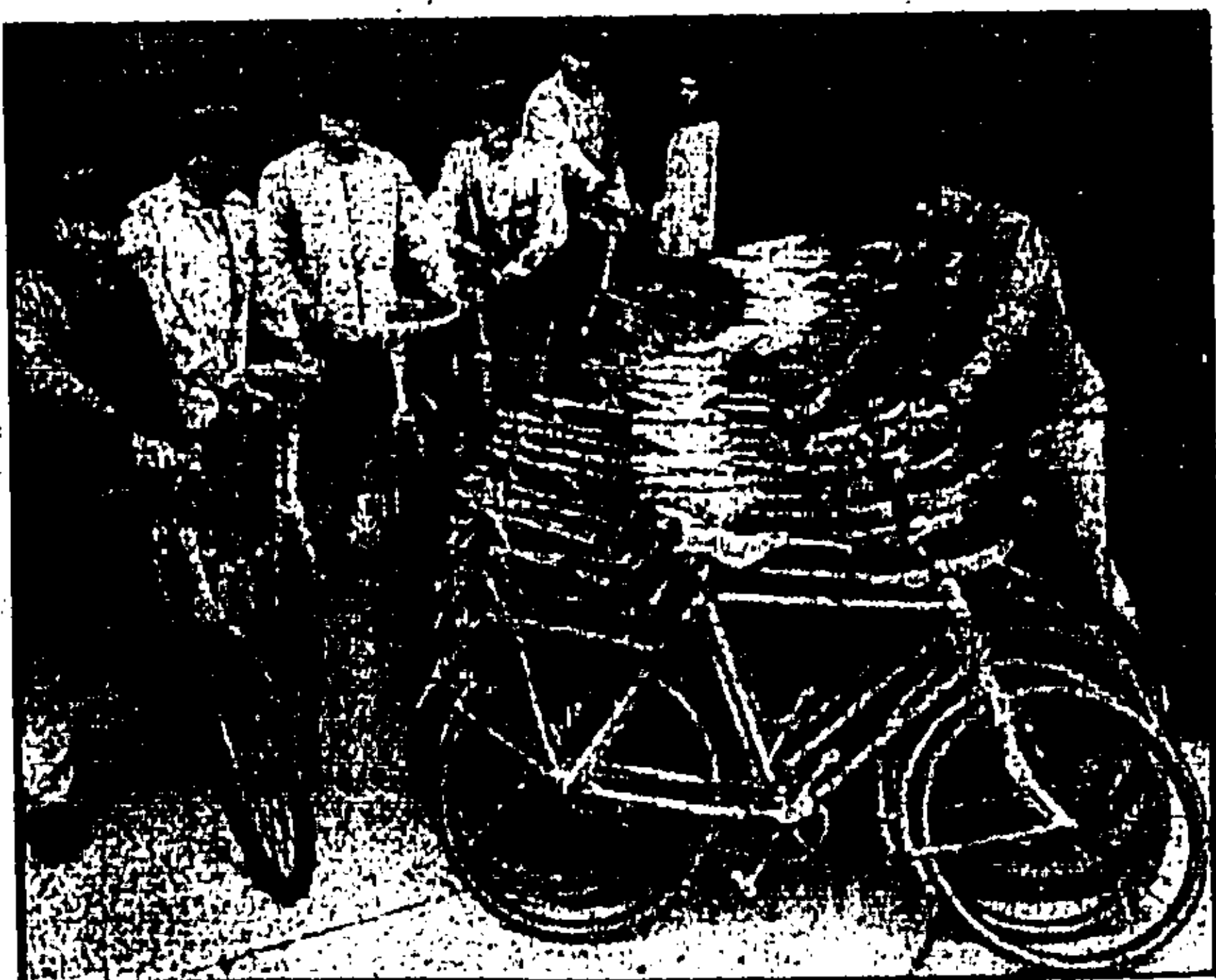
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PHOTONEWS

HAPPENINGS
AS SEEN BY
THE CAMERA'S EYE



READY FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Ordered recently by the War Office to stand by, five battalions from crack regiments in the British Army prepared to leave for Czechoslovakia. If they had gone they would have assisted in police duties while the Sudeten territory was being taken over by Germany. Here are men of the 1st Batt. Welsh Guards overhauling lorries at Wellington Barracks, and (left) stacking bicycles ready for departure.



Scene in Barcelona, Spain, as workmen clear debris in the retail market section, after a bombing raid by 15 insurgent airmen. Long lines of women were buying supplies when the raiders flew over. Official report gave 31 dead and 112 wounded. This scene might have been anywhere in Europe, but for the peace pact.



Sudeten Germans not only welcomed the Nazi troops that moved into the area, coded by Czechoslovakia to Germany after the four-power peace party at Munich, but made quick moves to be identified with the Nazis. Here a Nazi youth puts a sign changing a town street name from Masaryk Street, for the late Czech president, to Hitler Square.



With the occupation of Sudetenland by German troops, hundreds of refugees who fled to Germany before war was averted returned to their homes. The group of Sudeten Germans above bridge along as they return to Czechoslovakia.

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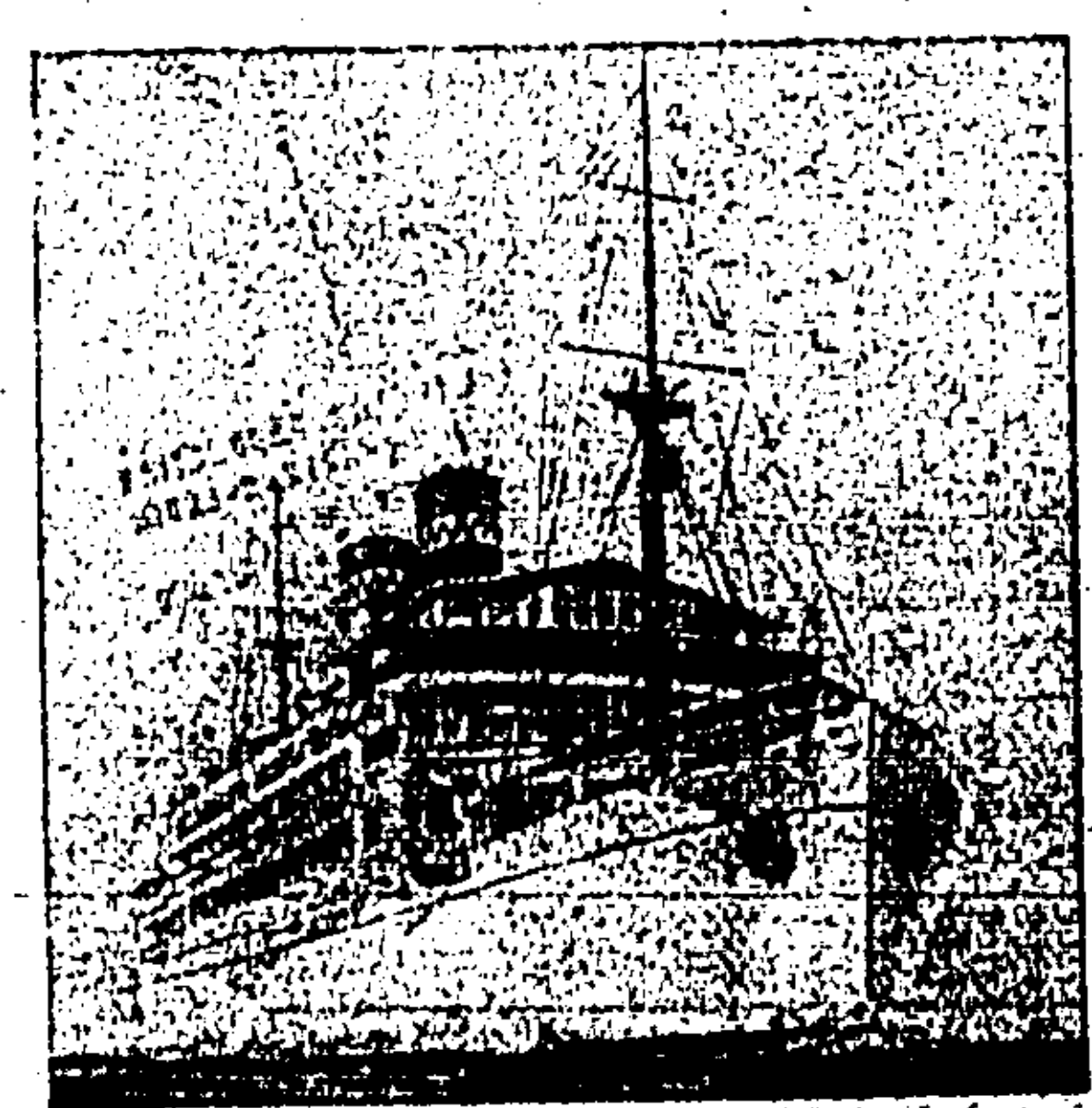
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BOMBERS, NOT PURSUITS

Commentator's Plea For
British Air Force

LONDON, Nov. 14.
Bombers instead of pursuit
planes was the demand put forward
to-day by Captain Paine, the
political correspondent of the
Daily Telegraph in an article
sharply attacking the new plans
of British aerial re-armament
drawn up by Sir Kingsley Wood,
the British Air Minister.

Captain Paine also puts forward the
demand that the British air force
should not only be as strong as that
of any single other nation, but should
have a wider range of action.

It is entirely wrong to suppose, he
says, that the role which the air
weapon will play in the future, will
be in the main restricted to defence.
Certain weather conditions make it
difficult for anti-aircraft guns to place
bombs on machines under effective
fire, quite apart from the fact that
the latest types of bombers are able
to elude fighting machines.

Drawing attention to the danger of
massed air raids on English airports
which are particularly difficult to
defend by anti-aircraft guns and
fighting machines, Captain Paine
demands an air force powerful enough
to enable Britain to cripple the
enemy's capacity for an attack; that
is to say to make it possible to bomb
his factories and ammunition depots.
In this connection he points out that
Britain has the great advantage over
Germany in having Canada as a base
for production.

An air supremacy either alone, or
if that cannot be realized quickly
enough together with France, has be-
come, he says, the prime necessity for
Britain.—Trans-Ocean.

The Colony's Trade

Isolation Of Canton
Effects Felt

According to an early release of
Hongkong trade figures yesterday
little effect was felt here last month
by the closing of the Kowloon rail-
way and the Pearl River.

If communications to South China
had remained open, the October
trade figures would have reached
record heights.

It is expected that the full effect
of Hongkong's isolation from South
China will not be known until the
present month's trading figures are
available in the middle of December.

Following is a summary of the
position:
Imports from South China: August
\$8,422,737; September \$9,084,574;
October \$9,551,045.
Exports to South China: \$10,200,070;
\$19,305,572; \$9,018,210.

Motor Lorry Exports

The export figure for September
includes exports of motor lorries
(\$1,148,713) and motor chassis
(\$6,144,767) which were exported by
road during the first nine months of
1938, and are now recorded for the
first time. The figure of monthly
exports is therefore \$12,012,092 for
October.

It is interesting to see that since
August exports to Kwangchowwan
have almost doubled in value
from \$535,142 in September, \$711,730
in October and \$1,031,156. For the first
time the exports of motor lorries and
chassis are issued. They show that
for the first nine months of 1938,
2,241 trucks valued at \$9,759,853 left
Hongkong for all parts of China.

GERMAN COLONIES

Australia Won't Give up Mandate

CANBERRA, Nov. 14.

MR. J. A. LYONS, the Prime Minister, has issued
a statement declaring that under no circumstances would
Australia agree to surrender her mandate to former
German New Guinea.

The Minister for the Exterior, Mr.
W. M. Hughes, in supporting the
Prime Minister's declaration, said to-
day that it could leave no room for
doubt regarding Australia's intention.
Australia, he said, would have to
make great efforts to defend the
territory against any aggressor.

The position was complicated by
the fact that, under the terms of the
Mandate, Australia could not erect
fortifications in the territory, but she
could and would take other steps
within her power.

The declaration by the Prime
Minister will be followed by the
development of the territory, in
which valuable iron ore deposits
were recently discovered, to the
fullest extent.

COMMONS ASSURANCES
London, Nov. 14.
Asked in the House of Commons
to give an assurance that no trans-
ference of the mandates of Tanganyika
and other African territories
formerly under German rule would
be effected until adequate financial
compensation was given to the
investors who had been engaged
in developing the territories, Mr.
Chamberlain referred the question
to Lord Baldwin's speech in 1935, in
which he said that no British terri-
tory, or territory under British pro-
tection or mandate, would be trans-
ferred from British sovereignty or
authority without the fullest regard
being paid to interests in all sections
of the population in the territories
concerned.

Mr. R. A. Pilkington (Cons.):
"Does he not think that the recent
happenings in Germany made it
abundantly clear that Germany is
not yet fit to take the welfare
of native populations? (Cheers)."
Mr. Chamberlain gave no reply.

Asked whether Parliament would
be consulted before any discussions
respecting the transfer of mandated
or colonial territories, Mr. Chamber-
lain said that Lord Baldwin stated in
1935 that the Government would not
commit itself to any settlement with-
out giving the House a full opportu-
nity for discussion.

Replying to the suggestion that
already there were misgivings that
the House might be presented with a
fait accompli, Mr. Chamberlain said
he thought his assurance ought to be
sufficient.—Reuter.

Prague, Nov. 14.
The Czechoslovak National
Bank is at present examining a plan
for financing emigration from Czechoslovakia, it is learned from reliable
quarters.

A plan is being considered to place
at the disposal of each immigrant 100-
000 Czechoslovak crowns in foreign
exchange out of his property, if he is
willing to pay a day of 50,000 crowns
in cash or Government securities.

Former residents of the Sudeten
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—Reuter.

FLANDIN TO LEAD DEMOCRATS

Re-Elected President
Of Party

Paris, Nov. 14.
M. Flandin was re-elected Pre-
sident of the Democratic Party at the
Party's congress to-day by 1,027 votes
out of a possible total of 1,050.

Senator Reibel who had severely
criticized Flandin's attitude during
the Czechoslovakian crisis was not
re-elected a member of the Party's
Executive Committee and resigned
thereupon from the Party.

There were stormy scenes when
Senator Reibel denounced M. Flandin
for having sent telegrams of con-
gratulation to Herr Hitler after the
Munich agreement.

Replying to M. Reibel's attacks M.
Flandin met with much applause
when he declared that he referred to
an exchange of telegrams instead of
shells. M. Flandin stated that the
Communists intended to use the panic
expected during the first bombard-
ment of Paris for the proclamation of
a Soviet Government in France.

France certainly must be strong not
to fight, but to be able to negotiate
with the other powers on an even
footing.

To persist in the belief that Ger-
many is France's hereditary enemy
was playing into the hands of the
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Anglo-Italian Pact

IN OPERATION TO-MORROW

LONDON, Nov. 14. MR. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN, in a written reply in the House of Commons today announced that the Anglo-Italian agreement would come into force on November 16.

Mr. Chamberlain also intimated that the British Charge d'Affaires had requested that the attention of the competent authorities in Berlin be drawn to the rights of British residents in Germany. The Charge d'Affaires had also reserved the right to present claims for damage.

There were many supplementary questions. Mr. Noel Baker asked the Premier to endeavour to find some means, either alone, or in collaboration with other Powers, whereby he would make known to the German Government the deep feeling of horror which has been aroused in Britain among all sections of the people by the action taken against the Jews.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that there were many means of making that known; in fact he did not think there could be any doubt about it. Asked whether the Government would show the feeling of the country by attempting to do something for the victims, the Premier declared that the question could not be answered without notice.

The Prime Minister gave the same answer to the question whether he would consider having consultations with President Roosevelt with a view to joint representations being made to Berlin.—Reuter.

CANADA TO JOIN AGREEMENT

Washington, Nov. 14. Mr. Cordell Hull to-day stated that he hoped to sign the Anglo-American trade agreement before he left on November 26 for the Pan-American Conference at Lima.

He also stated that he hoped to announce some developments in the negotiations for the renewal of the American-Canadian trade agreement in two or three days, and he hoped shortly to decide whether or not the



ARMISTICE DAY WEDDING. The Rev. Victor Dixon and his bride, the former Miss Emily Blanche Fosse, after their recent marriage at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.—Staff Photographer.

Chinese Vessels Facing Disaster

THE RAPIDLY RECEDING Yangtse River is threatening the remainder of the Chinese fleet with disaster.

OI! No, AH!

Extract from letter to her mother from a pupil at a Lincolnshire school for young ladies:—

"We are learning to dance the Lambeth Walk but Miss — says we must not say 'OI' because it is not a nice word. We must say 'Ah.'"

Two agreements could be tied together.—Reuter.

"ESCAPE" CLAUSE INCLUDED

Washington, Nov. 14. Officials of the State Department said to-day that the Anglo-American trade agreement would contain an "escape" clause, permitting either country to denounce the pact if fluctuations in exchange rates were so large as to affect the tariff concessions.

The officials stated that the agreement would not contain any provision concerning the British war debt, or parity between the pound and the dollar.—Reuter.

With the outbreak through Tungting lake to the Yangtse River completely bottled up by the Japanese occupation of Yochow, the movements of the Chinese vessels are greatly restricted.

Due to the rapid fall of the Yangtse they cannot move up-stream towards Chungking, and their movements now are restricted to the river area between Yochow and Ichang.

At the same time the fall of the Yangtse will greatly hamper Japanese naval operations and it is believed that within a fortnight they will cease altogether.

The entire Japanese fleet has now successfully penetrated the Chinese mine-field and boom at Chenghsingchi, and is now 780 nautical miles from the sea.

The occasion is believed to be unique, especially if the Chinese warships make a last stand between Yochow and Ichang. No naval battle has been fought before so far from the natural element of warships—the sea.—Domet.

Aid For German Refugees

Church Assembly Prays For Understanding

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 14.

AN OPEN LETTER to the Government urging the promotion of measures to aid Jewish refugees from Germany, has been sent by the Dutch democratic movements, the members of which are from all political parties, except the extremists.

Similar messages have been sent to Queen Wilhelmina, Princess Juliana and Prince Bernhard.

A committee, representing over 1,000 Dutch intellectuals and humanist societies are also urging the authorities to open the frontiers to German refugees, and to give them facilities to establish camps.

The municipality of Naarded has placed an empty orphanage at the disposal of 200 German-Jewish children.

The Amsterdam Diamond Exchange has decided to take measures jointly with the Belgian Diamond Exchanges with the object of preventing members giving work to Germans.—Reuter Special.

VIOLATION OF GOD'S WILL

London, Nov. 14. The Archbishop of Canterbury, speaking in the Church Assembly to-day with regard to the happenings in the world, suggested that an expression of the meeting's thoughts should be given in a way he thought to be more appropriate than any public discussions—in prayers.

"Let us lay before God the continued violation of his will, such as the miseries inflicted on the people of Spain, the cruel slaughter in China, and the recent outbreak of renewed persecution of the Jews in Germany," declared the Primate.

The Assembly then stood in prayer.—Reuter.

U.S. WATCHING KEENLY

Washington, Nov. 14. The Government is observing Germany's latest measures against the Jews with keen interest, declared Mr. Cordell Hull at to-day's press conference.

He added that his conversation with the German Ambassador on Sunday had been on a purely minor matter.—Reuter.

VATICAN PROTEST

Rome, Nov. 14. The Vatican has protested to the Italian Government against the decree of the new Italian racial law, forbidding the marriage of Italian Aryans with persons of another race.

The Vatican holds that the law is a unilateral breach of the Concordat of 1929.

According to the Observatore Romano, the Pope did his utmost to avoid animosity by making his views known in advance, even to the extent of issuing personal protests to Signor Mussolini and King Victor Emmanuel, that the laws were issued without the agreement of the Church.—Reuter.

PREMIER'S SYMPATHY

London, Nov. 14. Replying to a question in the House of Commons, Mr. Chamberlain declared that he regretted the press reports of the action taken against the Jews in Germany appeared to be substantially correct, as these had now been to some extent corroborated by Dr. Josef Goebbels.

No one would want to defend the senseless crime committed in Paris, but there would be widespread sympathy here for those being made to suffer so severely for it, he said.

Mr. Chamberlain added that the British Charge d'Affaires in Berlin has been instructed to address a strong protest to the German Government regarding the recent articles in the German press associating former Ministers and members of the House of Commons with recent events.

Mr. George Lansbury asked whether it were not possible to consult with the High Commissioners in the various dominions to see whether it were possible to find a place in the British Commonwealth for German Jews.

Mr. Chamberlain declared that it was not a matter for the British Government, but he had no doubt they would be taking into consideration any possible way in which they could assist those people.—Reuter.

WARSAW CLASHES

Warsaw, Nov. 14. Serious clashes between Polish and Jewish students occurred at the Warsaw machine-building high school to-day, when Jewish students refused to occupy the seats specially provided for them.

The lectures were suspended until further notice.—United Press.

FORBIDDEN TO LECTURE

Berlin, Nov. 14. The Minister of Education, Herr Bernhard Rust, has telegraphically instructed all German universities to forbid Jews to lecture, or even to enter university grounds.

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CAMPAIGN TO CURE CANCER

British Government Scheme

London, Nov. 14. Speaking in the House of Commons to-day on the new cancer campaign, Mr. Walter Elliot said he hoped the Government Bill would be submitted to the House before the Christmas vacation.

They anticipated that the modern method of diagnosis and treatment by radium, X-Ray or operation would be made available to all who suffered from, or feared cancer.

At present only about one-quarter of the cases which might benefit by the treatment received effective treatment on modern lines. He hoped that cancer sufferers would learn that an early visit to a centre might lead to a complete cure, and not to hesitate as in the past, to take advantage of these facilities.

Money would be made available to enable the National Radium Trust to purchase more radium, and so enable the necessary treatment to be given.—Reuter Special.

Hankow's Acute Food Shortage

Shanghai, Nov. 15. Travelling by special plane from Hankow, Father Jacquinet returned to Shanghai yesterday, and immediately coiled on the French Ambassador, M. Naggiar.

It is learnt that in the course of the meeting, Father Jacquinet revealed that the food situation in Hankow was acute at present, but that a happy solution was expected shortly.—Reuter.

Hines To Stand Trial January 9

New York, Nov. 14. At the general sessions to-day, Judge Nott fixed January 9 next for the opening of the second trial of Mr. Jimmy Hines, former Tammany leader, who is charged with political bribery.—Reuter.

RECORD BREAKING PLANES AT BRISBANE

The three Wellesley bombers which made the record non-stop flight from Egypt to Port Darwin have arrived in Brisbane.

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The lectures were suspended until further notice.—United Press.

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Double-Deck Bus Plan Threat to Kowloon Trees

NATHAN ROAD'S trees or double-decker buses. It appears that Kowloon cannot have both.

The Kowloon Motor Bus Company, which operates all Kowloon bus services, has put forward plans for the introduction of double-decker buses on the principal routes on the mainland.

These buses cannot operate, however, unless a large number of trees lining Nathan Road are removed.

The Traffic Department is believed to be in favour of the removal of a considerable number of them for traffic reasons apart from the proposed introduction of double-decker

buses.

The Kowloon Residents' Association is almost certain to insist, however, that the trees remain.

Although the K.R.A. has received no reply to its suggestion that trees should be planted along other roadsways in Kowloon, it is understood that traffic officials are opposed to the plan.

Government is still considering the matter, and has called for a report from the Botanical and Forestry Department.

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Perhaps your stomach trouble is not so serious as that of Mr. H. J. George, whose letter appears below. All the better, because then you can be doubly sure that the remedy that brought him relief will give you freedom also. Mr. George's letter shows how Maclean Brand Stomach Powder is as effective in healing as it is in protecting the stomach and preventing further trouble.

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REICH RESTORES CULTURAL RIGHTS TO THE JEWS

Activities Resumed Yesterday BUT CULTURAL LIFE TO BE PLACED UNDER CENTRAL BODY

BERLIN, Nov. 14.
THE JEWISH cultural organisation in Germany, known as the Reichs Federation of Jewish Cultural Associations, which has existed in its present form since 1934 was allowed to resume its normal activities to-day.

All Jewish enterprises which are members of the Reichs Federations are likewise permitted to resume their activities in the cultural sphere.

The Reichs Propaganda Minister's delegate for Jewish organisations, Herr Hans Hunkel, explained to a representative of Trans-Ocean that events and performances planned by the Reichs Federation of Jewish Cultural Associations had been forbidden merely during last Thursday in the interest of the Jews themselves, in order to prevent the gathering of a large number of Jews, and that from Monday, the Jewish Cultural Organisations will be allowed again to resume their normal activities without further restrictions, and that the Jews will be able to promote their social and cultural life in their own community in the same way as they were already permitted throughout the last five years.

The Propaganda Minister's delegate pointed out that the Reichs Federation of Jewish Associations was formed early in 1934 through an amalgamation of the various local cultural associations and the community now comprises 104,000 Jewish members. The amalgamation, so he added, was intended to place the entire cultural life of the Jews under the control of a central Jewish body which is responsible for the activities of all its affiliated bodies throughout the Reich.

It was intended, moreover, to place

the cultural activities of the Jews in their own community under control. The events and performances staged by the Jewish Cultural Associations were frequented mostly by Jews of the poorer class, while better situated Jews failed to support the events with their attendance.

MANY FACILITIES FOR ENTERTAINMENT

Authoritative Jewish quarters often complained about the lack of social solidarity displaced by the German Jews.

The Reichs Federation of Jewish Cultural Associations held many thousand theatrical and cinema performances, concerts, lectures and social evenings during the last few years.

There are still a number of Jewish newspapers and magazines in Germany and a considerable number of Jewish books were published in the Reich during the last few years.

In most of the large German cities there are Jewish bookshops which are selling exclusively Jewish literature.

Certain quarters abroad, however, so Herr Hunkel declared, took no cognisance of the activities of the Jewish Cultural organisations in

END OF BULGARIAN CRISIS

Cabinet Re-Shuffled

SOFIA, Nov. 14.
After several days of negotiations, the Cabinet has been radically re-shuffled, and the Cabinet crisis has come to an end.

Premier Kuleshevskoff has taken on also the portfolio of Foreign Affairs, and the Cabinet is now composed as follows:

War	General Daskaloff (unchanged)
Public Works	Ganeff (unchanged)
Interior	Ivan Kriakovski
Finance	Bobri Dobiloff
Education	Bogdan Filoff
Trade	Ila Kojucharov
Agriculture	Ivan Bagrianoff
Railways	General Nedeff
Traffic	Nikola Joloff

The new Minister of Interior held this portfolio once before. The Minister of Finance was the former Governor of the Bulgarian National Bank. The new Minister of Trade was the former Minister of Traffic.—Trans-Ocean.

ITALIAN PRINCESS ENGAGED

Rome, Nov. 14.

The engagement of Princess Maria, youngest and the last unmarried daughter of King Victor Emmanuel, to Prince Louis De Bourbon of Parma, is announced.—Reuter Special.

Germany, obviously because they did not wish to admit that for instance, a Jewish theatre is allowed to hold performances in Germany.

Jewish quarters in Germany on the other hand have often expressed their recognition of the attitude of the German authorities.

Thus the Director of the Jewish Cultural Association of Berlin, Dr. Singer, declared in the official organ of that body that he must declare that the German authorities are displaying complete loyal attitude towards the association.—Trans-Ocean.

Ambulance Brigade Trophy Winners



Mr. Fan Shu-nam, Superintendent of the Mongkok Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade and one of the nurses photographed with the cups and shield won by the Division.—Yuen Chun Studio.

MR. OSWALD PIROW TO VISIT GERMANY

Expected In Berlin On November 17

LONDON, Nov. 14.
It is learnt from informed quarters that the South-African Minister of Defence, Mr. Oswald Pirow, will arrive in Berlin on November 17 at 2 p.m. for a visit of several days.

During his stay, Mr. Pirow will be received by Field-Marshal Goering, Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop, Minister of Economy Herr Funk, and the chief of the High Command of the German Defence Forces.

The climax of the visit will be a reception given by the Fuehrer in honour of the South African Statesman.

The programme arranged includes an excursion to Koenig Hall, Field Marshal Goering's Hunting Lodge near Berlin, a shooting party, and receptions by the South African Minister in Berlin Dr. Gie, and the South African Society.

EXHAUSTIVE CONVERSATIONS
The South-African Minister will have opportunity for very exhaustive political and economic conversations with the leading men of Germany, so it is stated in well-informed quarters. It is regarded as certain that Mr. Pirow will have conversations with Field-Marshal Goering, the Reichs Foreign Minister, Herr von Ribbentrop, the Chief of the Supreme Command of the Armed Forces, General Wilhelm Keitel, and the Reichs Economic Minister, Herr Walter Funk.

Finally a reception by the Fuehrer and Reichs-chancellor whom Pirow met on his last visit to Germany in 1933, is envisaged.

From this provisional programme it is evident, so it is declared in political circles, that the political discussions will be conducted on the broadest basis. It is not believed that Mr. Pirow will arrive in Berlin with a cut and dried programme, even though, according to developments hitherto, the economic matters have a particular interest.

It is also considered that certain speculative opinions voiced abroad to the effect that Mr. Pirow's visits to Lisbon and Brussels are connected with the colonial question, are incorrect, as authoritative quarters in Germany have recently repeatedly stated that Germany claims only her own colonial territory.

It is, however, not impossible that the question of treatment of the German population in the South-West African Mandate territory, particularly as regards the political and cultural freedom secured by the statute should be the subject of discussion.

But above all, economic questions and their treatment so as to promote the interests of both sides will be the central interest of the visit.—Trans-Ocean.

Crisis Hits Britain's Trade

Heavy Decline In Imports, Exports

LONDON, Nov. 14.
The effects of the recent crisis on British trade are revealed in the latest returns.

They show that while imports in October were £79,004,000 compared with £75,000,000 in September, and exports were £42,550,000 compared with £39,800,000 in September, imports showed a decline of £17,000,000, and exports of £4,500,000 compared with October, 1932.

For the first ten months of this year, imports aggregated £769,000,000, a decline of £63,000,000 compared with the corresponding period of last year. Exports were £389,000,000, which showed a reduction of £43,000,000.—Reuter Special.

Foodstuffs For Starving Spaniards

LONDON, Nov. 14.
The British Government is consulting with its representatives in Spain with regard to the possibility of reaching an agreement whereby the contending Spanish parties will refrain from interfering with the passage to Spanish ports of certain vessels carrying foodstuffs on behalf of the approved relief organisations, stated Mr. R. A. Butler, in the House of Commons to-day.—Reuter Special.

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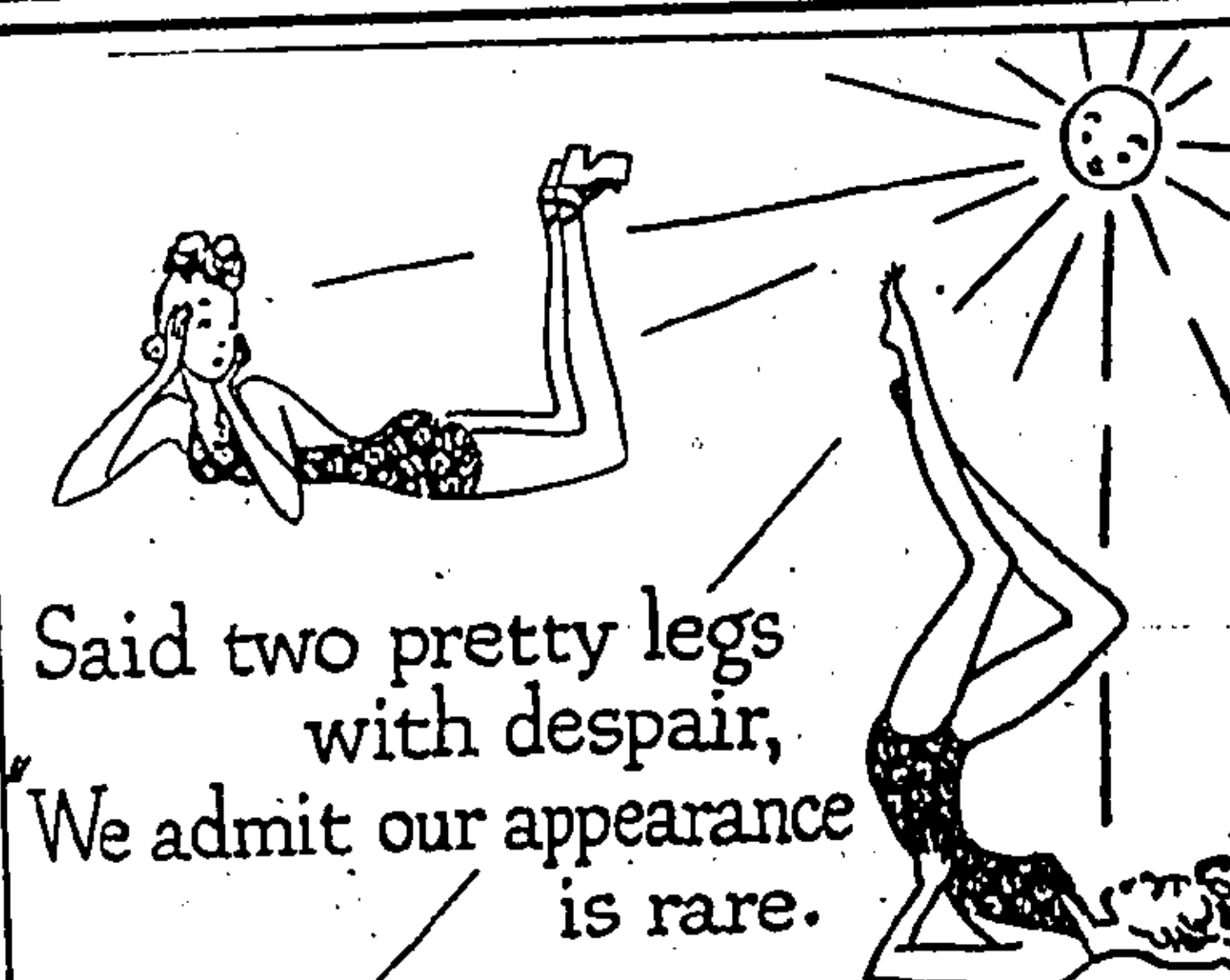


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Funeral Of Marseilles Fire Victims

Long Procession Is Moving Sight

Marseilles, Nov. 14.
The funeral of the 73 victims of the catastrophic fire in the famous Rue La Comedienne took place to-day. Ten thousand soldiers and policemen had been called out to prevent any possible untoward incidents in the form of Communist demonstrations.

The funeral procession was over three kilometers in length, and two hours elapsed before the entire procession reached the cemetery of St. Pierre.

The spectacle of the long line of hearses, bearing coffins which disappeared from view amid countless wreaths, was most moving.

Walking in the procession were representatives of President Lebrun, and the Government, as well as all leading ecclesiastical, military, naval and civil authorities.

Upwards of half a million people, many of whom had come from various parts of the South of France, lined the route.

At the cemetery, speeches were delivered by the Bishop of Marseilles, Monsignor Delay, and by the Minister of the Interior, M. Sarraut.—Trans-Ocean.



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R. OHL,
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Hongkong, 9th November, 1938.

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Haliphong, arrived Hongkong on
Monday, 14th November, 1938.

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of Opium, Treasure and Valuables
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Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kow-
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tained immediately after landing.
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rent.

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Hongkong, 12th November, 1938.

341 Passengers

And Crew

Saved At Sea

Tokyo, Nov. 15.

Meagre Japanese reports state that
the Ura Maru on Monday picked up
341 passengers and the crew of the
Kyodo Maru, near the Sumen Island,
en route to Tsingtao from Dairen,
after fire had swept the Kyodo's hold.
—United Press.

GERMAN COLONIES

Australia Won't Give up Mandate

CANBERRA, Nov. 14.

MR. J. A. LYONS, the Prime Minister, has issued
a statement declaring that under no circumstances would
Australia agree to surrender her mandate to former
German New Guinea.

The Minister for the Exterior, Mr.
W. M. Hughes, in supporting the
Prime Minister's declaration, said to-
day that it could leave no room for
doubt regarding Australia's intention.
Australia, he said, would have to
make great efforts to defend the
territory against any aggressor.

The position was complicated by
the fact that, under the terms of the
Mandate, Australia could not erect
fortifications in the territory, but she
could and would take other steps
without power.

The declaration by the Prime
Minister will be followed by a
development of the territory, in
which valuable iron ore deposits
were recently discovered, to the
fullest extent.

COMMONS ASSURANCES

London, Nov. 14.
Asked in the House of Commons
to give an assurance that no trans-
ference of the mandates of Tanganyika
and other African territories
formerly under German rule would
be effected until adequate financial
compensation was given enterprisers
and investors who had been engaged
in developing the territories, Mr.
Chamberlain referred the questioner
to Lord Baldwin's speech in 1935,
in which he said that no British ter-
ritory, or territory under British pro-
tection or mandate, would be trans-
ferred from British sovereignty or
authority without the fullest regard
being paid to interests in all sections
of the population in the territories
concerned.

Mr. R. A. Fikington (Cons.):
“Does he not think that the recent
happenings in Germany made it
abundantly clear that Germany is
not yet fit to undertake the welfare
of native populations? (Cheers).”

Asked whether Parliament would
be consulted before any discussions
were initiated with foreign Powers
respecting the transfer of mandated
or colonial territories, Mr. Chamber-
lain said that Lord Baldwin stated in
1935 that the Government would not
commit itself to any settlement with-
out giving the House a full oppor-
tunity for discussion.

Replying to the suggestion that
already there were misgivings that
the House might be presented with a
fait accompli, Mr. Chamberlain said
he thought his assurance ought to be
sufficient.—Reuter.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local
share quotations issued this morning.

H.K. Banks, \$1,360 n.
H.K. Bank (Lon. Reg.), \$32 n.
Chartered Bank, £3 1/4 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B., £2 1/4 n.
Mercantile Bank, C. £13 n.
East Asia Bank, \$38 n.
Insurance
Canton Ins., \$220 n.
Union Ins., \$495 n.
China Unins., \$2 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$200 n.

Shipping
Douglas, \$66 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$10 n.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$60 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$24 n.
Shell Bearer, s/- 85/- n.
Union Waterboats, \$0 n.

H.K. & K. Wharves, \$122 n.
H.K. Docks (old), \$10 n.
H.K. Docks (new), \$18 1/4 n.
Providents (old), \$6 1/2 n.
Providents (new), \$6 n.
New Engineering Sh., \$4 1/4 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$124 n.
Kallan Mining Adm., s/- 17/- n.
Raubs, \$6 1/2 n.
Venz Goldfield, \$3 n.
Hongkong Mines, 7 1/4 cts. n.

Philippine Mining
Atamok, P. 48 1/4 sa.
Atoks, P. 27 1/4 sa.
Baguio Gold, P. 23 1/4 sa.
Benguet Consol., P. 13.20 sa.
Benguet Explor., P. 32 sa.
Consolidated Mines, P. 0.035 sa.
Demonstrations P. 20 sa.
E. Mindanno, P. —
Gumaus G'fields, P. —
Ipo Gold, P. —
Big Wedge, P. —
LKL, P. 72 sa.

Hogons, P. —
Min. Resources, P. —
Paracale Gumaus, P. —
San Mauricio, P. 1.84 sa.
Suyoc Consol., P. 21 sa.
United Paracales, P. 51 sa.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$0.55 s.
H.K. Lands, \$30 s.
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben \$107 1/4 n.
Shanghai Lands, Sh. \$0.80 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —
Humphries, \$0 1/4 n.
H.K. Realties, \$5 1/4 n.

Chinese Estates, ex. div. \$00 n.
Fable Utilities
H.K. Tramways, \$16.00 sa.
Peak Trams (old), \$0 1/4 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$3 1/4 n.
Star Ferries, \$7 1/4 n.
Yaumati Ferries (old), \$23 n.
Yaumati Ferries (new), \$23 1/4 n.

China Light (old), \$10.00 n.
China Light (new), \$10.20 n.
H.K. Electric, \$57 1/4 sa.
Macao Electric, \$17 1/4 n.
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Canton Ice, \$1.70 n.
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Stores, &c.
Dairy Farms, \$24 1/2 n.
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Lane Crawford, \$3 1/4 n.
Sinceres, \$2 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$47 1/4 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 80 cts. n.
Cotton Mills
Ewo Cotton, Sh. \$17 1/4 n.
Sai Cotton (old), Sh. \$94 n.
Young Shing, Sh. \$24 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$42 n.

Miscellaneous
H.K. Entertainments, \$0 1/4 n.
Constructions, \$1 1/4 n.
Vibro Piling, \$0.85 n.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 Gd Bonds,
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H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% prm. b.
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Wallace Harpers, —
Marsmans (Lon.), s/- 10 1/4 n.
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K.L.M. Plane Crashes As Taking Off

Amsterdam, Nov. 14.

Three members of the crew and
two passengers were killed when a
K.L.M. air-liner from Berlin crashed
as it was about to land at the Schiphol
aerodrome to-day.

The two passengers killed were
both Germans, and eleven other
occupants of the plane which carried
a crew of five, and 14 passengers,
were sent to the hospital, including a
New Zealand woman, who was seriously
injured, two London men, and a
Canadian.

Low clouds hindered the pilot, and
the machine crashed nose-down, and
was completely destroyed.

The chief pilot, M. Dulmelaar was
seriously hurt.

The passengers comprised four
Britons, eight Germans and two
Czechs.

The plane, which was a Douglas
type, did not catch on fire.—
Reuter.

EXCHANGE

Selling
T.T. London 1s. 2.27/32
Demand 1s. 2.27/32
T.T. Shanghai 175 Noms.
A.T. Singapore 33
T.T. Japan 108
T.T. India 82 1/2
T.T. U.S.A. 20 1/4
T.T. Manila 58 1/4
T.T. Batavia 53 1/4
T.T. Bangkok 149 1/4
T.T. Saigon 116
T.T. France 11.66
T.T. Germany 72 1/2
T.T. Switzerland 128 1/2
T.T. Australia 1/0 1/2

Buying
4 m/s L/c London 1/33/32
4 m/s D/p do 1/3 1/4
4 m/s L/c U.S.A. 29 1/4
4 m/s France 11.66
30 d/s India 82 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London 4.70 1/4

AIR SERVICES

Arrivals and Departures
Of Planes

Outward
For London, Australia, British
Countries and Europe: Imperial Air-
ways Delphinus 7 a.m. Nov. 15; Im-
perial Airways Delta 7 a.m. Nov. 18.

For U.S.A. Manila, Guam, Hono-
lulu: Pan American Clipper 8.30
a.m. Nov. 23.

Hankow, Chungking, Sian, etc.:
Eurasia and C.N.A.C. services tem-
porarily suspended.

For France, via Hanol: Air France,
Nov. 19, 6.30 a.m.

Inward
From London, Australia and Brit-
ish Countries: Imperial Airways
Delta 11 a.m. Nov. 15; Imperial Air-
ways Delphinus 5 p.m. Nov. 19.

From France: Air France noon
Nov. 17.

From U.S.A. via Guam, Manila,
Pan American Philippine Clipper
12.30 a.m. Nov. 24.

AIR OFFICER GUEST
Air Vice-Marshal J. T. Babington
had lunch yesterday with H. E. the
General Officer Commanding the
British Troops in China, Major
General A. W. Bartholomew, at
Flagstaff House.

The Vice-Marshal is Air Officer
Commanding the Royal Air Force in
the Far East and he is on a tour of
inspection.

Singapore Traction, s/- 23/9 n.
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FLANDIN TO LEAD DEMOCRATS

Re-Elected President Of Party

Paris, Nov. 14.

M. Flandin was re-elected Pres-
ident of the Democratic Party at the
Party's congress to-day by 1,027 votes
out of a possible total of 1,050.
Senator Reibel, who had severely
criticized Flandin's attitude during
the Czech-Slovakian crisis, was not
re-elected a member of the Party's
Executive Committee and resigned
thereupon from the Party.

There were stormy scenes when
Senator Reibel denounced M. Flandin
for having sent telegrams of con-
gratulation to Herr Hitler after the
Munich agreement.

Replying to M. Reibel's attacks M.
Flandin met with much applause
when he declared that he referred to
an exchange of telegrams instead of
shells. M. Flandin stated that the
Communists intended to use the panic
expected during the first bombard-
ment of Paris for the proclamation of
a Soviet Government in France.

France certainly must be strong not
to fight, but to be able to negotiate
with the other powers on an even
footing.

To persist in the belief that Ger-
many is France's hereditary enemy
was playing into the hands of the
Communists.—Trans-Ocean.

STOCK MARKET UNSETTLED

London, Nov. 14.

The week-end European develop-
ments resulted in a rather unsettled
atmosphere on the London Stock
Exchange, prices in most sections
easing in the absence of buying in-
terest.

On the foreign exchanges there was
an early Paris demand for francs
which was inspired by the Govern-
ment's recovery measures, but this
later gave way to a widespread de-
mand for dollars.

The change of sentiment perplexed
the market, but it was thought that
they reflected Continental fears that
the developments in Germany may
hinder the policy of European ap-
peasement.—Reuter Special.

CZECHS FINANCE MIGRATION PLAN

Prague, Nov. 14.

The Czechoslovak National
Bank is at present examining a plan
for financing emigration from Czecho-
Slovakia, it is learned from reliable
quarters.

A plan is being considered to place
at the disposal of each immigrant 100-
000 Czechoslovak crowns in foreign
exchange out of his property, if he is
willing to pay a day of 50,000 crowns
in cash or Government securities.

Former residents of the Sudeten
territory who are now in Czecho-
Slovakia, and wish to take advantage
of the scheme, will also be provided
with foreign exchange, but duty in
those cases will be higher.—Trans-
Ocean.

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POST OFFICE.

NEW YEAR PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

The New Year Parcel Mail for Great
Britain will be closed in the General
Post Office and Kowloon Central
Post Office at 5.00 p.m. on Tuesday,
the 15th November per s.s. "Antenor",
and is due to arrive at London on the
21st December, 1938.

CHRISTMAS MAIL FOR CANADA AND U.S.A.

Christmas Printed Paper Mail
(Christmas Cards etc., in open
envelopes) and Parcels for Canada
and Letters and Parcel Mails for U.
S. A. will be closed in the General
Post Office and Kowloon Central
Post Office per s.s. "Empress of Asia"
as follows:—

Parcels 3.00 p.m. Nov. 24.
Registered Mail 5.00 p.m. Nov. 24.
Ordinary Mail 7.00 p.m. Nov. 24.
These mails are due to arrive at
Vancouver B.C. and Seattle (U.S.A.)
on December 12, 1938.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES

Registered and Parcel Mails are
closed 15 minutes earlier than the
time given below unless otherwise
stated, and where mails are adver-
tised to close at or before 9 a.m. re-
gistered and parcel mails are closed
at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

CHRISTMAS MAILS FOR GREAT BRITAIN VIA SUEZ.

Printed Paper Mail (Christmas
Cards etc., in open envelopes) closes
as follows:—
Registered Mail 9.45 a.m. Nov. 25.
Ordinary Mail 10.30 a.m. Nov. 25.
This mail will be forwarded by the
s.s. "Rawalpindi" and is due to

CORONATION WAS ILLEGAL IF—

Stone Altars Are Forbidden

"If stone altars in churches should be proved to be illegal, some of the most solemn moments of the coronation service would be in some way invalid."

This was one of the points advanced when a vicar's appeal against an order for the removal of a number of ornaments from his church was continued before the ancient Court of Arches at the Law Courts, London, recently.

The Rev. Charles Geoffrey Rolfe-Silvester, Vicar of St. Hilary, Cornwall, was the appellant. The respondent was Miss Ann Maria King, of St. Hilary, on whose petition a Truro diocesan order for the removal of the ornaments was made.

The ornaments in dispute, which include six stone altars and several "witch-watching" bulls, were installed in the church by the late vicar, the Rev. Bernard Walker, who retired in 1930.

The appeal was heard by Mr. W. M. Stable, K.C., Deputy for the Dean of the Arches. Mr. H. B. Vaisey, K.C., and Mr. G. C. Hutchinson appeared for the appellant, and Mr. J. P. Ashworth for the respondent.

Judgment was reserved. Mr. Ashworth contended that, assuming the stone altars were illegal, the court had no discretion in the matter.

He mentioned that Dean Stanley found a stone altar at Westminster Abbey. He had it removed and had erected a wooden table with a marble slab on top.

At Durham Cathedral a stone Holy Table had been there for 200 to 300 years. Westminster Abbey, however, was a "Royal peculiar," and the King was sole judge of what should be done there.

He asked the court to say that the discretion on the part of the authorities could only extend to stone altars which had been in existence since the time of the Reformation.

AT WESTMINSTER

Mr. Ashworth submitted that there was a great weight of legal authority to the effect that stone altars were illegal in regard to their removal.

The judge said he was horrified to find that after the proceedings in 1932 the then incumbent, without any regard to the legal rights of some of his parishioners, put in six altars.

He acted in a manner amounting to "gross defiance" of the consistory court, and the illegality under which the parishioners suffered were appalling.

After further arguments, the judge said he proposed that one of the two ambry's (cupboards for storing ecclesiastical articles) must go within the period prescribed by the chancellor, but regarding the other he thought that the vicar ought to have more time to consider his position.

RED FLAG PREVENTS DISASTER

ROBERT Kelso, signman at Heme Hill station, looked out of his box recently just as an electric train was leaving.

He saw an express from Victoria to Ramsgate sweeping up the line in the distance.

He pushed the signal over to stop, grabbed a red flag, and dashed on to his platform, frantically waving to the driver.

The driver slammed on his brakes, but could not pull up before hitting the other train.

There was a crash, and passengers were thrown off their feet.

VAN BUCKLED The last coach of the electric train was thrown into the air and came crashing down on to the lines again.

The van was buckled and the bogie became wedged underneath. Both down lines were blocked.

Four people were injured. Three were detained in hospital.

One of them the guard of the electric train, became unconscious.

He was Henry Crane, of Sutton-road, London, S.W.

A message was rushed to his wife, who had left to spend the week-end at Canvey Island.

The others detained were Leonard Grey, of Oaken Grange-drive, South-end, and Vera Garrett, also living in Oaken Grange-drive.

Mr. Kelso, who lives at Mayflower-road, Stockwell, went on with his job.

WIFE'S PRIDE His wife, Mrs. Ivy Kelso, said, "I am proud and glad it was my husband who prevented a more serious crash."

"He has a very responsible job. People don't realise that until something like this has happened."

Mr. W. R. Mason, employed at Millwood-road, Hove, said: "I heard a terrific crash. Then I saw railwaymen rushing down the line towards the two trains near a signal box. Fortunately only one set of lines was damaged."

"The guard was carried away on a stretcher, but two others injured walked to the ambulance. Other passengers then walked along to the station."

CRASH PROOF PETROL TANKS

Britain's air pilots will be saved from their most dreaded peril—being burnt alive in a crash—by the invention of a retired official of the Air Ministry.

The invention, approved by the Ministry after initial tests, is a "crash-proof" petrol tank which is seamless and rivetless and will stand up to violent battering and twisting or bursting.

Tests were carried out by dropping the tanks from various heights. Four have now been fitted to Airspeed Oxford monoplanes for service tests.

CHINESE WEDDING

Mr. Harold Winglee and Miss M. J. Yu

The wedding took place at St. Margaret Mary's Church, Happy Valley, yesterday, of Mr. Harold William Winglee and Miss Mabel Josephine Yu.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. Yu Yat-yue, merchant, was given away by her father, and was attended by her sister, Miss Hilda Yu, as bridesmaid.

The bridegroom, who is the well-known swimmer, baseball and softball player, was attended by his brother, Mr. Cecil Winglee, as best man.

The Rev. Fr. Gabrieli officiated. Later a reception was held at the Hotel Cecil. The honeymoon is being spent at Macao.

CHAPLIN BANNED

CHARLIE CHAPLIN, the Marx Brothers, the Ritz Brothers, and other Jewish comedians may be banned from Italian cinemas. In a new campaign the Rome anti-Semitic newspaper *Tevere* describes the Marx Brothers' film "A Night at the Opera," now showing in Rome, as "a perfect example of the degenerate mentality of the Jewish race."

"The Marx Brothers are only a big bluff," says the *Tevere*. "Their clowning may draw smiles from maids, but Italians do not need to take delight in their stupidity."

All Chaplin films are banned in Germany on the grounds that he is a "non-Aryan."

It was officially confirmed in Rome recently that a Government decree law will be published soon barring all "non-Aryan" Italians from the Stock Exchanges and financial markets.

BARRED FROM LAW

Financial firms with Jewish connections will be wound up. This decision will not affect foreign Jews dealt with by the recent decree ordering their expulsion within six months.

British and American financiers in Italy therefore will not be affected by the new decision.

Jews are barred from the German legal profession by a decree published in Berlin.

Licencees of Jewish solicitors in the Old Reich will be taken from them on November 30.

Jewish solicitors in Austria must be struck from the rolls by December 31.

Jews barred from their profession but who served in the front line during the war may be given relief out of the income of Jewish legal aid-fund.

Jewish legal advisers will be allowed to act for Jews and represent them.

Corn Pickers Take Toll Springfield, Ill.

The Illinois Agricultural Association has "reminded" Illinois farmers that six men were killed and at least 55 others lost fingers or hands in the operation of corn pickers last year.

APE-MAN CLUE IN A BOY'S POCKET

A scientist's quest for four of "perhaps the most valuable teeth in the world" ended in their discovery in a schoolboy's trouser pocket.

Gert Terblanche, the schoolboy, digging in an outcrop of rock at Kromdraai, near Sterkfontein, South Africa, had found a skull which Sir Arthur Keith told the British Association was of "outstanding importance in the evolution of man and ape."

How his find became known to the world of science is described by Dr. R. Broom, of the Transvaal Museum, Pretoria, in an article in the current issue of "Nature."

Dr. Broom says he was shown the skull by a Mr. Barlow, at Sterkfontein, to whom the boy had given it.

WENT TO SCHOOL

"Recognising that some of the teeth had recently been broken off, I had to hunt up the schoolboy," writes Dr. Broom.

"I went to his home two miles off and found that he was at school another two miles away."

Increased Membership Of Women Golfers

PROFITABLE YEAR

The annual general meeting of the Ladies' Section of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was held in the Helena May Institute yesterday morning, with Mrs. D. J. Gilmore, Acting Captain, in the chair.

The Chairman said: "The reason for my presiding over this meeting to-day is owing to our Captain, Lady MacGregor, having left for Home leave at the end of May, and since her departure it has fallen upon me to carry out the Captain's duties."

Fortunately Lady MacGregor was with us during the busy winter season, and we all appreciate the great interest which she took in the Ladies' Section, and her generosity in giving three prizes to be played for at the Spring Meeting.

"The annual report and statement of Accounts having been in your hands for the prescribed period, I will, with your permission, take them as read. The items of expenditure are practically the same as last year, and the Statement shows a substantial balance of \$200.42 in hand. Our thanks are due to Mr. Sommerfeld, A.C.A., for kindly auditing the accounts."

Membership Increasing

"The membership of the Ladies' Section is steadily increasing, and during the past season all our competitions have been very well supported. On the special days, such as the Spring, Summer and Autumn Meetings, we had a record number of entries, in spite of the fact that heavy rain fell during the first two days of the Spring Meeting at Fanling, and also at Deep Water Bay on our September Day."

We are very grateful to all those who kindly donated prizes throughout the season. We congratulate all the winners, and especially Mrs. Whyte-Smith on her successful "double" the winning of the Championship and the Captain's Cup in one year.

"The Scratch Score of the Old Course at Fanling has been reduced from 73 to 72, and that of the New Course from 73 to 72. In accordance with the regulations for Clubs affiliated to the Ladies' Golf Union, the Scratch Score Committee in London was notified in May of the recent alterations made on the two Fanling courses, and asked to consider these reductions, in order to bring our par in line with the pre-war standard of the Home courses. They replied fixing the scratch scores at 76 and 72 respectively."

"I feel sure that Lady MacGregor would wish me to express her thanks to all the Members of Committee for their whole-hearted support, and in doing so I should like to add my own, for their co-operation since her departure. We are grateful for all the work done by Mrs. Whyte-Smith as Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Holmes as Handicap Manager, and Mrs. Selby who has undertaken this strenuous task since Mrs. Holmes left the Colony last month. We are also greatly indebted to Col. Maitland for his kind co-operation and help, and the General Committee for our many privileges; also to Mr. Hitchens for all his help and interest in our competitions. Thanks are also due to the Press for kindly publishing notices and results of our competitions, and to the Helena May Institute for placing their rooms at our disposal for meetings."

"The death of one of our members in tragic circumstances—I refer to Mrs. Challinor—cast a cloud over the whole Colony, which will long be remembered with great sorrow."

"I now propose the adoption of the report and accounts as presented, and when this has been seconded, I shall endeavor to answer any question that may be put relating to them, to the best of my ability."

New Officers

The accounts as presented having been adopted, the following Captain and Committee were elected:

Mrs. R. E. Lindsell (Captain), and Mesdames C. B. Brown, R. J. Ellis, H. C. Murrett, J. A. Selby, T. S. Whyte-Smith, and A. F. Mackintosh (Committee).

Mrs. J. H. R. Hance proposed that the Ladies' Changing Room at Deep Water Bay be made more private by substituting curtains for the present screens, and by installing lockers.

The Chairman replied that the suggestion would be put before the annual meeting of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club for consideration at their next meeting.

Mrs. R. E. Lindsell proposed a vote of thanks to out-going Captain, Acting Captain, and Committee. This concluded the business of the meeting.

"THE GOOD OLD DAYS"

Life Was Better Then, Say Y.M.C.A. Debaters

The motion that life in the "good old days" was preferable to life to-day was upheld by a majority of 10 votes to eight at the European Y.M.C.A. yesterday when the newly reorganised Literary and Debating Society held its first debate of the season. Mr. L. Starbuck was in the Chair.

Principal speakers for the motion were Messrs. A. F. Austin and W. C. T. Lampard, Messrs. J. S. Greenberg and H. W. Smith, being the principal speakers for the opposition.

There were arguments of great force and interest for future meetings. At the next meeting, Capt. A. B. Wattman, of the Royal Corps of Signals, will speak on his experiences as a member of the Oxford University Expedition to the Antarctic, 1935-36.

RADIO BROADCAST

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6.00 Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) Stolen Heaven; (b) I'll never let you cry; (c) You and me; (d) An Old Straw Hat.

6.14 Record: Aria Con Variazioni (Luigi Mozzoni); Le Regiment Qui Passe (Scossicinto)... Mario Maccaferri (Guitar).

6.21 (a) Alone with you; (b) Coffee and Kisses; (c) Lovelight in the Starlight; (d) Ti-pl-tin.

6.44 Records: Speak Easy (Gensler); Rollin' Home (P. De Rose)... The Eight Piano Symphony directed by Bruce Merry; Doll Dance (Brown)... Ken Harvey (Banjo) with Orchestra.

6.44 (a) To-night will live; (b) Havin' Myself a time; (c) I still love to kiss you goodnight; (d) East Side Kick.

7.00 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 Tino Rossi (Tenor) and Orchestra Raymonde.

Rien Qu'un Chant D'Amour (Alm Naples au balzer de feu); Mia Piel collina (Alm Naples au balzer de feu); Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Orchestra; Delibes in Vienna (arr. Walter); Orchestre Raymonde; Les Fleurs; C'est De L'Amour (Montier); Tillymoon; Te Revoir (Daller); d'Angelys and Paterin)... Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Orchestra.

7.20 London Relay—Conco Land-ing. Being the story of the adventures of the Lady Susan and Captain Smith in the Cape Town Air Race. Specially written for broadcasting by Horrid Giddy; Characters: Lady Susan Rippled; Captain Smith, 1st Man; 2nd Man; 1st Girl; 2nd Girl; Reporter; Mr. Finberg; Production by John Richmond.

8.00 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Dvorak—Slavonic Dances. Slavonic Dance No. 1 in C Major; Slavonic Dance No. 2 in E Minor; Slavonic Dance No. 14 in B Flat Major.... Czech Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Václav Talich.

8.15 London Relay—Empire Gazette.

A topical review of events overseas. Devised and edited by James Gilroy. Assisted by Kenneth Baily. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.

8.45 Miliza Korjus (Soprano) and Marek Weber and His Orchestra. The Little Ring (from "The Malden's Wish"—Chopin); Invitation to the Dance (Weber)... Miliza Korjus (Soprano) with the Berlin State Opera Orchestra cond. by Franz Schönbauersfeld; Tales From The Orient—Waltz (Strauss, arr. Egg)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; Serenade (Moszkowsky); The Malden of Cadiz (Delibes)... Miliza Korjus (Soprano) with Orchestra conducted by Bruno Seidler-Winkler; "Merry Widow"—Selection (Lehar)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

9.15 Haydn—Quartet in A Major Op. 55, No. 1. Played by the Pro Arte Quartet.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.50 Violin and Viola Solo. Passacaglia (Handel)—Holvorsen... Albert Sammons (Violin) and Lionel Terlis (Viola).

10.00 London Relay—No. 8 Howard Place.

A visit to Robert Louis Stevenson's birthplace in Edinburgh. Programme devised by Christine Orr.

10.35 London Relay—Mr. Gillette Potter.

10.45 Tangos and Rumbas. Lament—Tango; Land Of Magic Tango... Heinz Huppertz and His Orchestra; Rumbalund; Intro; La Cuenca; Marianna; The Song of the Slave; Caricoa; Sweet Muchacha; Bananas... Gerald and His Rumba Orchestra with Vocal Chorus; Fire-flowers—Tango; Moonlight On The Rio Grande—Tango.

11.00 Close Down.

DEFENCES IN U.S.

Shortage of Munitions Says Expert

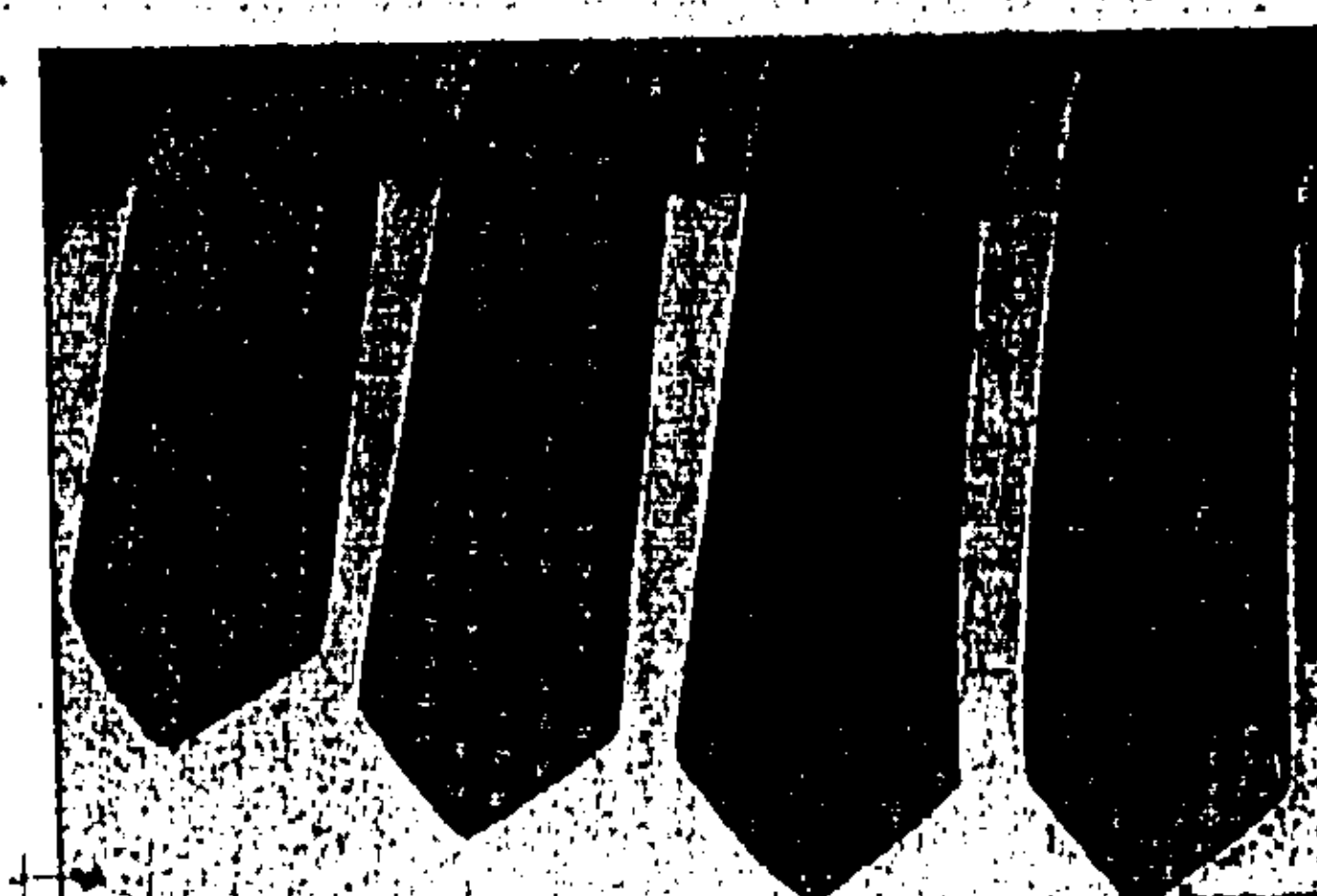
Washington, Nov. 14.

"The United States not only has a small number of men under arms but has marked shortages of reserves and munitions, including defensive weapons, which is a matter of major importance and must be built up as soon as possible," declares the annual report issued to-day by Gen. Craig, Chief of Staff.

"Current operations in China and Spain illustrate the greatly increased power of new defensive weapons which has restored to defence the superiority it was deemed to have lost with the advent of new offensive arms."

Gen. Craig proposes that the regular army should be increased 3,000 to 100,000, including 21,500 for the air corps. He also asks in addition for anti-aircraft guns, searchlights and fire control equipment, anti-tank guns, semi-automatic rifles for the infantry and medium-sized tanks to supplement the existing force of light tanks.

No expansion in the air corps is requested in the report, which describes the corps as being equipped with planes which are materially equal, if not superior, to any military planes in the world.—Reuter Special.



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MUTES IN COURT

Unable to Answer Charge Of Stealing

Among the prisoners charged before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday were two dumb men, who were accused of stealing 10 pieces of ham, 11 pieces of duck, and two salt fish from No. 169 Queen's Road East on Sunday.

One was additionally charged with receiving stolen property.

Ordinarily, there was nothing to distinguish this case from any of the others, but both the defendants in this instance were dumb, and could not answer the charges.

One of the men, who could read and write a little, gave his name to the police as Li Kwok-chuen, 21. The other, who could neither read, write, nor talk, indicated that he was also deaf. He also only possessed one good eye.

Detective-Sergeant J. Bentley, who prosecuted, said that both men were unlicensed hawkers, and slept in the streets.

Mr. Forrest, after considering the case, decided to adjourn it until to-day to obtain advice as to what was to be done with the defendants.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 3.15 p.m. yesterday, says:

The market has not yet sufficiently recovered from the long week-end holiday to take much interest in local stocks, and in consequence dull conditions prevailed all day.

Buyers	
Rauha 52 1/2	Hales
Peak Trams 84 1/2	H. & S. Hotels 50 1/2
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OXFORD RUGGER FIFTEEN REVEAL PROMISE: STRONG FORWARDS

Scores Heartening Win Over Gloucester

By Howard Marshall

OXFORD UNIV. 14 pts; GLOUCESTER 3

London, Oct. 20.
Oxford beat Gloucester at Ilfracombe by 2 penalty goals, a goal and a try to a try, and thereby greatly encouraged their supporters.

It is true that Gloucester were without A. Carpenter, that remarkable veteran, and their front row was consequently somewhat disorganised, but it is always heartening for a university side to beat so strong and experienced a club as Gloucester early in the term.

Oxford took some time to settle down. They were smothered and shaken out of their stride by the liveliness of the Gloucester pack in the loose, and there appeared to be a rather alarming defensive weakness in the centre, where they cannot afford to be weak next December.

Still, these are early days for criticism, and it is far more important to acknowledge at this stage that Oxford have the makings of a fine side. It was in the last 20 minutes that they really showed their mettle, and their forwards, admirably led by Marshall, turned the tables on the Gloucester pack with a vengeance.

INFLUENCE OF FREAKIES?
Oxford, incidentally, are packing 3-4-1, and they seem to like it, which is the main point. They used this formation throughout last Easter term, so that we cannot trace the influence of the South African tour, though we may ascribe it to H. D. Freakies, a South African captain. Freakies was not playing yesterday, though he will probably turn out next week, and bring some stiffening to the defence.

Personally, I cannot see that the 3-4-1 formation is so well adapted to all-round scrummaging as the orthodox 3-2-3, and Oxford's one attempt to wheel on their own line resulted in desultory individual scrambles. The 3-4-1 method has its uses as a quick healing variation, but that, to my mind, is the extent of its value.

Apart from the suggestion that the tenets of orthodox scrummaging should be jealously preserved in the home of lost causes these Oxford forwards will certainly give a good account of themselves. They are strong and fiery, and behind them Thomas and Watts played excellently at half-back.

STRATHIE DANGEROUS
The three-quarters had few chances in straightforward attack, but the strongly-built Cowen is a player of possibilities, and Strathie

Cambridge Rugby Team Defeated

London, Nov. 14.

The Cambridge University rugby team had a close game against Swansea to-day and were narrowly defeated by 13 points to 11.—*Reuter*.

looks as if he would be dangerous with half an opening, the swift-striking, glancing type of centre.

Altogether Oxford must feel that they have made a most promising beginning, and now remains the wedding process which will turn them into a team.

As for Gloucester, they faded out towards the end, but for three-parts of the game their experience and positional sense gave Oxford a deal of trouble. Crafty warriors like A'Beir, Meadows, Phillips and Boughton kept Oxford on the run, and Morris struck me as an uncommonly busy forward.

Obviously Gloucester sorely missed Carpenter, and although they had rather the better of the tight scrummages, even without him, Gough at scrum-half passed too slowly to give the attack much chance.

It was a perfect autumn afternoon, and the ground looked in beautiful condition. Even Twickenham could not show a better stretch of turf, and everything promised well when Gloucester kicked off. For a time the game produced nothing more than concerted rushes by the Gloucester forwards, who drove Oxford back and pinned them down remorselessly. Watts made one glorious break from a standing start, shooting through the startled Gloucester defence like a rocket, but Marshall chose to be unselfish, and gave a pass which went astray when, with his speed and strength, he might have scored himself.

GLOUCESTER RECOVER
Gloucester came roaring back after this shock, and suddenly Phillips beat Strathie, went clear through, and sent Manning over for a try under the posts. This was well deserved, and Gloucester held their lead until half-time, when Oxford still seemed a shade lethargic.

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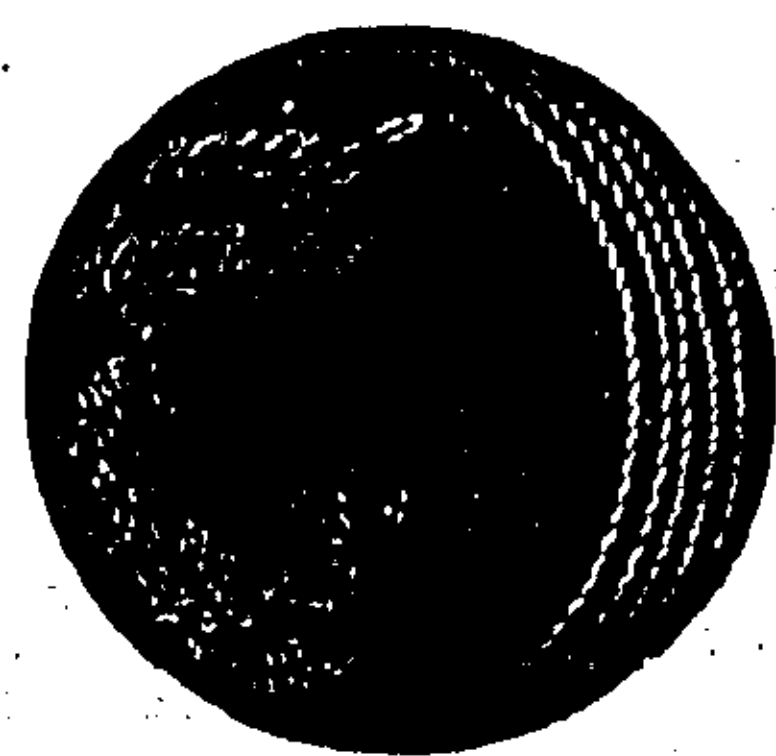
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BEAT THE SERVICES



The Hongkong Football Association team which defeated the United Services by two goals to one in the Armistice Day charity game. Both the Association's goals were scored by Lee Wal-tong. Back Row (left to right)—Fung King-cheung, Mak Shui-hon, Tam Kwan-kon, Lee Tin-sang, E. L. Strange, Hsu King-shing. Front Row—Xung Shui-yick, K. W. Forrow, Lee Wal-tong, Suen Kam-shuen and B. I. Bickford.—*Staff Photographer*.

Call-Over For November Handicap

London, Nov. 14.

The following is the latest call-over for the November Handicap:

- 100/12 Tuppington (o)
- 100/9 Dragonnade (o)
- 100/8 Maranta (o)
- 100/8 Taran (o)
- 100/7 Velvet Cushion (o)
- 100/7 Trafalgar (o)
- 100/6 Nadushika (o)
- 100/6 Stainless Stephen (o)
- 100/6 Mubarak (o)
- 20/1 Bird's Eye (t. and o.)
- 20/1 Bughrig (o)
- 20/1 Solitaire (o)
- 20/1 Golden Martlet (o)
- 20/1 Carlin (o)
- 20/1 Spot Barred (o)
- 20/1 Aphrodite (o), 22/1 (t)
- 22/1 Fec (o)
- 25/1 Phoebe (t. and o.)
- 25/1 Battle Song (o)
- 25/1 Hurry Devotee (o)
- 25/1 Pictolus (o)
- 25/1 Lister (o)
- 25/1 Nearchus (o)
- 33/1 Highland Gypsy (o)

—*Reuter*.

Club Team To Play Royal Scots

The Club "A" XV will play the Royal Scots in a rugby match on the Club ground at Happy Valley tomorrow, starting at 5 p.m. The Club side has been selected as follows:

H. F. Hopkins; D. B. Nelson; D. Hynes; M. G. Carruthers; K. A. Munro; F. M. Thompson; J. R. Henderson; J. Moodie; J. S. Dunnell (Captain); W. G. Schnable; R. E. H. Nelson; T. Swan; W. A. Johnson; G. L. Eastgate and R. Leigh.

like men reserving their powers for a tremendous effort.

They started the second half with a will, and once Percy's vast stride carried him to the Gloucester line, where the ball was knocked out of his hands when a try seemed inevitable. Oxford kept up the pressure, however, and drew level with a penalty goal for off-side, nearly replied with another, but Boughton hit the post with a fine kick from a wide angle, and once more Oxford crowded on the pace.

VARSITY TAKE CONTROL
They broke away from a loose scramble in their own "twenty-five," Percy ran strongly, punted and tackled Boughton as he gathered the ball, and Jackson was up to pounce and send Strathie over under the posts. A goal by Watts and Oxford were taking control, and playing with unexpected fury and determination.

Percy, Strathie and Cowen swept up the field the Oxford forwards rushed gloriously into the Gloucester "twenty-five," and then Thomas raced through the whole Gloucester pack to score on his own. It seemed as if Gloucester had expected the referee to order a scrum for some infringement, for they stood and made no apparent attempt to stop Thomas, but if this is the explanation, it proves once more the importance of playing to the whistle.

OXFORD UNIV.: J. H. Bowen (Harward House); H. D. Percy (Upingtonia); B. C. M. Strathie (Rugby); T. J. Cowen (St. Bees Trinity); G. H. Riley (St. Edward's Ox. Ch. Ch.); W. Watts (Bulton); A. C. Dobson (1488 E.R.A.); J. P. Wakefield (1488 E.R.A.); 2. J. P. Wakefield (1488 E.R.A.); 3. E. Minetti, entrant Count Lurani (1488 Maserati); 4. J. P. started Won by 12sec. 14.4sec. Speed 50.29 m.p.h.

B. Bira Wins Cousin's Motor Racing Prize

Mountain Title For Mays

London, Oct. 17.

The two chief races at the last Brooklands meeting of the year were won by the two most successful of the season.

Raymond Mays, in the two litre E.R.A., won the Mountain Championship, and B. Bira (Prince Birabongse of Siam) beat A. C. Dobson by two lengths in the race for the Siam Challenge Trophy presented by his cousin, Prince Chula.

Mays won with great ease at over 80 m.p.h. Although Standland on the Multi-Union had won a spectacular race on the outer circuit, lapping at 141 m.p.h., he could not get near the E.R.A. "round the mountain," and, indeed, Arthur Dobson beat him later on in a road circuit race.

FINE DUEL

Bira and Dobson had another fine duel. Dobson, for once, got away well, though not so well as Minetti on the Maserati. He held the lead for five of the 10 laps, being faster through the bends than Bira, though not so fast on the straight. Then Bira got past and just managed to stay in front to the end. The driving manners of both men were a lesson to the rest of the field.

SECOND LONG HICAP: Outer Circuit (abt. 9 miles): C. G. H. Dunham (2011 Avia), 1min. 15sec. 2. H. A. B. (1488 E.R.A.), 1min. 25sec. 3. P. Courtney (1002 Amicar), 1min. 35sec. 3. 15 started. Won by 3.8sec. 4.5sec. Speed 133.20 m.p.h.

SIAM CHALLENGE TROPHY: Campbell Course (abt. 2.5 miles): B. Bira (1488 E.R.A.), 1min. 15sec. 2. A. C. Dobson (1488 E.R.A.), 2min. 3. J. P. Wakefield (1488 E.R.A.), 2min. 4. J. P. started. Won by 12sec. 14.4sec. Speed 50.29 m.p.h.

THIRD ROAD HICAP: Campbell Course (abt. 11 miles): A. R. P. Holt (1488 E.R.A.), 12sec. 1. G. E. Abecassis (1488 Multi-Union), 2. A. B. Dobson (1488 E.R.A.), 3. E. Minetti, entrant Count Lurani (1488 Maserati), 4. J. P. started Won by 12sec. 14.4sec. Speed 50.29 m.p.h.

Rain Stops Cricket At Cape Town

Cape Town, Nov. 14.

The M.C.C. touring team scored 108 for 6 before rain stopped play to-day, this being made in reply to the

Poor Club Bowling In Encounter With Craigengower

Another Drawn Game For Indians At Sookunpoo

(By "R. Abbi")

The fact that so many men were out at Camp last week-end again rather defeated me as it is difficult to get down properly to note-writing until a more or less regular programme gets under way.

SPORTING DECLARATION

At the Club I saw some rather in and out batting from an 'A' team which included F. H. Stokes, J. H. L. D. Kilbee and R. H. Griffiths of Senior League Eleven. The only people really to do any good were Hsley and J. H. Fox who made 30 and 43 respectively. Garton got 15, and finally a sporting declaration was made at 147 for eight wickets.

BUT EASY WIN

Craigengower had very little difficulty in getting runs. I will not say the Club had no bowling. They had, but it was all pretty bad, and why Kilbee should be the eighth man only to be tried, I can't imagine. Anyway D. Hung (who has done nothing so far this year I think) cracked up 60 and E. Zimmern got 63 not out. I did hear that the fielding was not so good but I cannot vouch for this.

I.R.C. DRAW AGAIN

The I.R.C. played an eleven from the Middlesex Regiment which consisted chiefly of Pte. Hatfield. After bowling unchanged through the last two innings, his figures on Saturday were 16-0-45-7. The Indians declared at 138 for nine with A. H. Madar not out 48. A. R. Kitchell (20), Y. el Arculli (29), and A. Baker (18) alone did anything. The Middlesex were by no means at full strength and with A. R. Minu absent from the Indians side they managed to stay off defeat, but only thanks to the excellent batting of C. S. M. Northcott. They had 63 for eight and stumps were drawn. A. H. Madar had the excellent figures of 11-3-32-6.

POPE AGAIN

The Army second XI played a very even draw with the Police wherein Corp. Webb made 37 for the Army. I am waiting to see him reproduce his form of last year in some of the matches in which he plays. Ratcliffe got 28 and Blount 23 not out in an innings of 133 for eight declared. Pope again came off with the ball taking 7 wickets for 40 runs. The Police only got 110 for 7 wickets, Carey who seems easily to be their best bat, making 62.

UNIVERSITY IMPROVE

The University seemed to be getting going rather better than usual as they beat quite a fair second XI of Craigengower quite easily. K. S. Oh made 42 while J. Fong had 34 and C. M. Matthews 24 not out. Craigengower were all tumbled out for 70, K. L. Ng taking seven wickets for 18 runs.

SCHOOL CRICKET

There were two school cricket games last Saturday though I am afraid that I have not heard anything much about either of them. D.B.S. beat Recoelo very heartily as F. J. Lay made 70 and D. Cray 22 not out. I fancy they figured a bigger stand a Saturday before. Recoelo

AMERICAN SOFTBALL GIRLS WIN AND LOSE

Manila, Nov. 11.

Smarting from their 9-6 defeat at the hands of the American-European Y.M.C.A. squad Wednesday evening, the Hollywood Stars came back with a vengeance last night and pounded out an 11-3 victory over the American All-Stars, representing the pick of the Manila Polo Club softball league. In the opening game of the doubleheader at the Rizal Memorial Football Stadium.

In the nightcap, the Heacocks team, shut out the Columbian Flyers, 10-0, behind the sterling 3-hit pitching of Jacinto de Guzman. This second game was the best exhibition of softball yet seen in the series. Besides the pitching of De Guzman, which was the outstanding performance of the evening, the Heacock inds also displayed an abundance of power at bat, garnering 14 hits, including two homers, off the combined offerings of Martha Cooper and Virginia Gillen.

AIR FORCE TROUPS ORDNANCE

Hockey Association Tournament Tie

Turning out their strongest side of the season, the Royal Air Force yesterday made mincemeat of the R.A.O.C. in a Hongkong Hockey Association tournament match at Kai Tak, winning by ten goals to nil.

The game was terribly one-sided, and at the interval the airmen were leading by 7-0.

Goal-scorers were: Bartlett, at centre-forward (3), Dawson, playing at centre-half (3), Medd and Woods, two each.

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Triangular Hockey Interport?

Shanghai To Send
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According to the Shanghai Times, there is a distinct possibility of hockey enthusiasts in Shanghai being given the opportunity of witnessing a triangular interport on Chinese New Year if the plans of the Shanghai Hockey Association are realised. Hongkong and Tientsin will be invited to compete for the Nathan Cup, which is held at present by Tientsin. It will be recalled that Shanghai made an unsuccessful attempt to win the trophy last year.

Yachting

Women's Event Sailed

Jan and Widgson took leading places in the first series, fifth women's race, held by the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club yesterday over eight miles. "A" class started at 14.45 and "Y" class at 14.55. Results:

Class	Yacht	Pos.	Time
Jan	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	1	10.57.15
Widgson	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	2	10.57.15
Artemis	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	3	10.57.15
Kittiwake	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	4	10.57.15
True Blue	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	5	10.57.15
Isobel	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	6	10.57.15
Gull	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	7	10.57.15
Jean	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	8	10.57.15
La Linda	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	9	10.57.15
Koala	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	10	10.57.15
Redhawk	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	11	10.57.15
Joss	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	12	10.57.15
Eve	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	13	10.57.15
Widgson	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	14	10.57.15
Winkle	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	15	10.57.15
Sirius	(Mrs. M. Johnson)	16	10.57.15

ANNUAL GOLF MATCH

St. Andrew's v. St. George's
On November 20

The following will represent St. George's Society and the St. Andrew's Society in the annual golf match to be played at Fanling on November 20:

St. Andrew's—J. W. Shewan, S. J. H. Fox, K. S. Robertson, A. K. Mackenzie, D. J. Gilmore, R. Young, G. M. Park, A. K. McKellar, W. J. S. Key, W. Sharp, A. B. Purves, W. W. C. Shewan, E. W. Kirk, N. K. Littlejohn, A. S. Johnston, R. K. Valentine, C. M. Stark, R. M. Henderson, J. A. D. Morrison, L. M. Wyllie, T. Low, R. S. W. Paterson, J. S. Dunnett, J. A. R. Selby, A. S. Adamson, D. L. Prophet, W. L. Alexander, A. H. McBride, G. A. Leiper, J. E. Brown, A. Nicol, R. K. M. Simpson, A. M. Mack, I. A. R. Duncan, G. R. Riddell, Carr, W. J. E. Mackenzie, J. Fleming, E. Laidlaw, A. Murdoch, W. F. Leckie, W. Park, M. G. Carruthers, W. C. Crabbe.

St. George's—O. E. C. Marion, T. A. Pearce, L. R. Andrewes, P. H. Scoones, I. Newton, L. Goldman, S. H. Dodwell, R. A. Camidge, F. J. de Rome, A. D. Humphreys, A. Sommerfeld, R. G. Gray, N. L. Smith, C. J. Bowker, J. L. C. F. Pearce, H. H. Mundy, B. D. Evans, G. E. Divett, C. W. E. Bishop, G. W. Sewell, R. H. Hancock, H. B. L. Dowbiggin, W. Hewitt, W. T. Yoxall, W. Woodward, S. A. Sleep, T. E. Pearce, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, J. Harrop, W. M. Barton, Col. Matthews, P. S. Cassidy, J. D. Danby, G. W. Reeve, W. Hodges, R. Stock, A. H. Penn, J. R. Collis, H. Overy, L. C. F. Bellamy, W. A. Cornell, H. S. Jeffries, P. C. Jackson, H. S. Jones, M. F. L. Haymes, H. V. Holt.



The four girls who represented the Dosean Girls' School in the 400 metres women's open relay race at the South China A. A. sports over the week-end. These girls won in the time of 65 seconds.—Mee Cheung.

CHANGES IN SOCCER MATCHES

The Football League matches arranged for to-morrow, 5th Bde. R.A. v. Middlesex (Second Division) and R.A.F. v. 24th Bty. R.A. (Third Division) have been postponed to November 30.

SHANGHAI NUPTIALS

Miss H. A. Wood of Hongkong
Weds L. L. Bulkeley

Miss H. A. Wood, eldest daughter of Capt. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, of Swatow, was married in Shanghai on November 10 to Lieut. J. D. Bulkeley, of the U.S.S. Sacramento.

BOGEY PAR POOLS AT FANLING

Golf Competitions
During Holidays

In the Bogey Par Pools at Fanling played during the holidays, K. S. Robertson (5), with a score of two up, won on the Old Course, with G. C. Worrall (9), one up, in second place, having a better inward half than A. M. Mackie (18), who was also one up. There were 41 entries.

On the New Course, J. L. C. Murray (12), Lt. Commr. A. D. S. and R. E. H. Nelson (14) were all two down.

However, Pearce, two up on the last nine holes, wins. There were 22 entries.

Hongkong is well-known in the Colony, and while at the University excelled at athletics. Most of her records are still unbroken.

BADMINTON SEASON COMMENCES

In the opening game of the badminton season last night, St. Andrew's A beat St. Andrew's B 3-1. Scores:

J. P. Dawson and M. Weill beat S. A. Broadbridge and F. H. Stokes 21-4, beat H. R. Darby and L. Gibson 21-0, beat Avery and J. Tomlinson 21-7.

F. V. Wong and A. S. Bliss lost to Broadbridge and Stokes 14-21, beat Darby and Gibson 21-0, beat Avery and Tomlinson 21-13.

H. Kew and E. F. Fincher beat Broadbridge and Stokes 21-10, beat Darby and Gibson 21-7, beat Avery and Tomlinson 21-5.

SOFTBALL MEETING

Representatives of Clubs intending to join the Women's League are urged to be present at a meeting of the Hongkong Softball League to-day at 5.30 at Brook Club.

SPORT ADVTS

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE ELEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 19th November, 1938, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

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MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE
No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 (for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27784) will close at 12 NOON.

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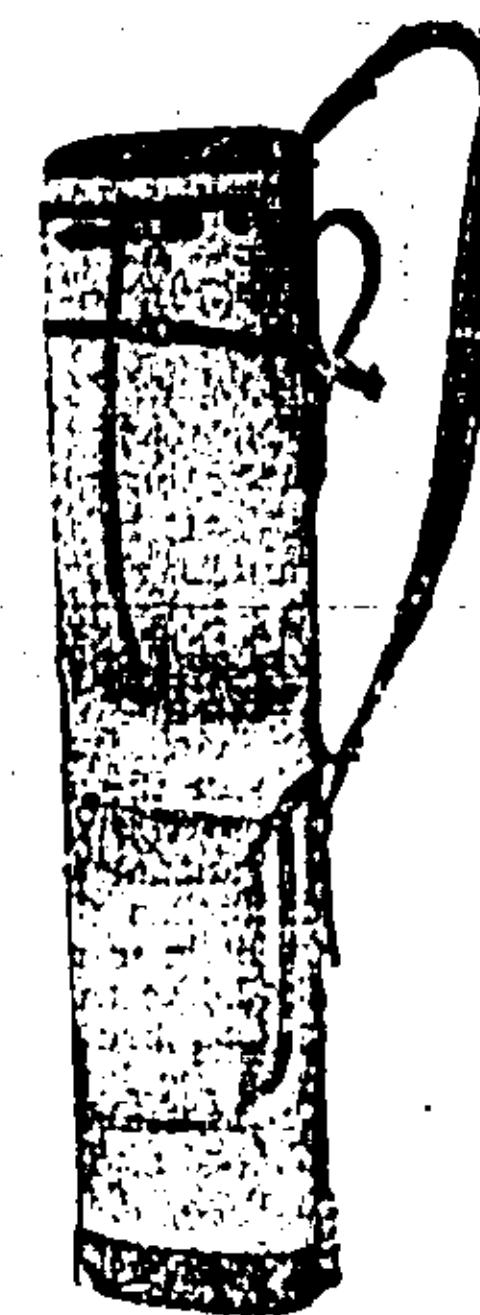
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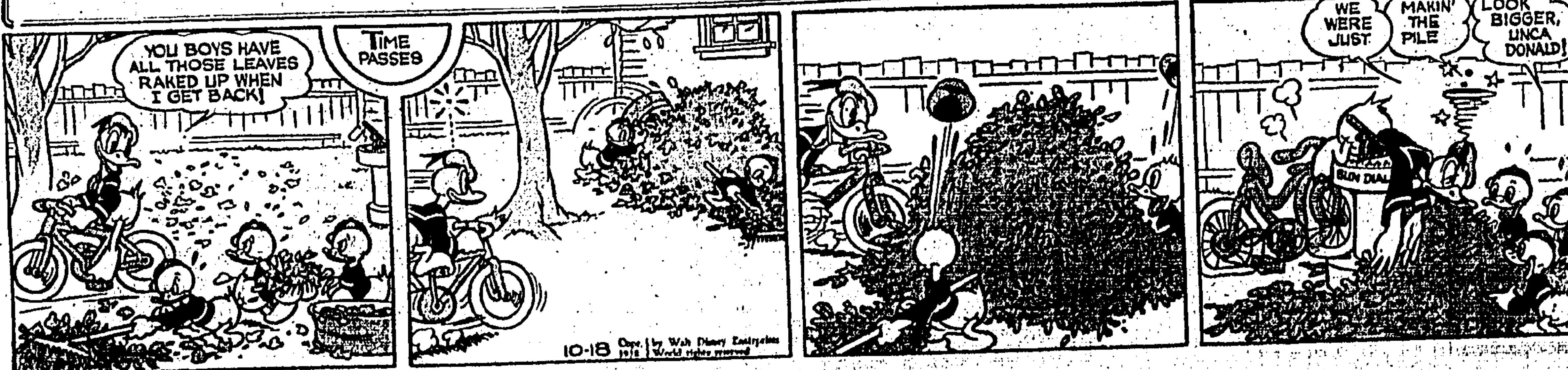
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Cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 8 rows, then dec. at the beg. and end of every alternate row 4 times (80 sts.). Work neckband as follows:—

Cast on 32 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows (104 sts.) then work moss st. on these 104 sts. for 10 rows. Cast off in moss st.

Right Front

With grey wool cast on 70 sts. 1st row—P.1 and k.1, 4 times, p.1, k.61 sts.

2nd row—P.62 sts., k.1, p.1 to end. Keeping 6 sts. at front edge in moss st. continue in stocking web, dec. every 5th row 6 times at other edge (64 sts.) then inc. on same edge every 5th row 18 times (82 sts.).

Shape armhole.—Cast off 6 sts. at armhole edge once. Cast off 3 sts. at same edge twice and then dec. every alternate row, 6 times (64 sts.). Work straight for 5 inches, then—

Shape neck.—Cast off 9 moss sts. at neck edge, and at same edge cast off 6 sts. once, 6 sts. once, 2 sts. twice (40 sts.). Continue to work straight on these 40 sts. until armhole measures 6½ inches, then—

Shape shoulder.—Cast off 10 sts. at shoulder edge 4 times.

Left Front

Work as for Right Front, but in reverse, beg. 1st row K.61 sts. Moss 9 sts.

Homemaker's Diary by JANET JAY

TO-DAY let's plan a transformation scene for the bedroom. I do not mean a spring clean nor yet to scrap existing furnishings.

But you can work wonders in cheering up curtains and covers with remnants and short lengths of chintz, crotonne and cottons from the sales.

Small "flowery" patterns and all-over leaf designs are most practical for renovations because, being composed of soft mixed colours on neutral grounds, they tone in well with existing fabrics.

Adding a floral border to plain material is one quite good way of cheering up curtains which have shrunk a little in the wash.

Use a small patterned crotonne or shiny chintz, and make the border seven to nine inches deep, shortening the curtain a little more if necessary, but personally I like to keep the extra material as a backing for the border.

The double material at the hem gives extra weight and helps the curtains to hang well.

Two Fabrics

Avoid a straight line of stitching where the two materials join. One effective method of joining is to cut round the shapes of the flowers and leaves on the patterned material, tack this cut edge on to the curtain and buttonhole the two fabrics together.

Then turn up the hem and slip-stitch the plain curtain fabric to the patterned one on the wrong side.

Another idea for using up a short length of chintz is to make a draped pelmet for a bedroom window. You will need a length about twice the width of the window.

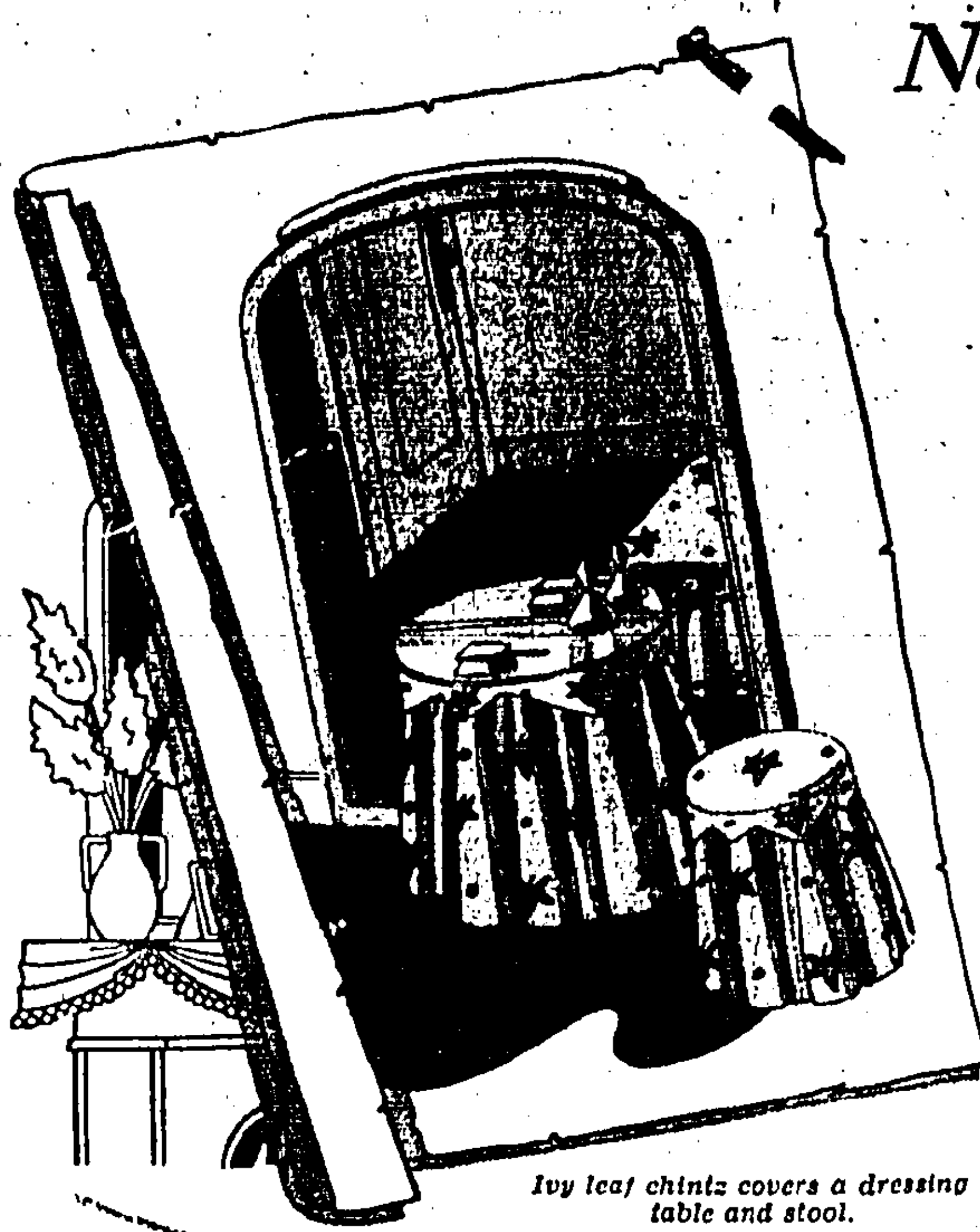
Item the ends and finish them with braid or narrow fringe, then drape the chintz across the top of the window so that it falls in soft horizontal folds, gather it up where it touches the sides.

Sleeves

With grey wool cast on 100 sts., and work in moss st. for 10 rows, inc. at beg. and end of every 5th row. Then continue in stocking web, inc. at beg. and end of every 5th row 10 times (130 sts.). Shape top of sleeve.—Cast off 6

GREEN LEAVES

New Motifs for Chintzes



Ivy leaf chintz covers a dressing table and stool.

of the window frame, and let the ends hang gracefully at each side.

Curtains which have seen a good deal of wear this year might be faced with some plain casement cloth, choosing cream or natural or a colour to match the leading colour of the room.

Lining Hints

I find it a good plan, when facing an old material with a new one, to shrink the new one before making it up by putting it through a warm soapy lather, then rinsing and ironing it while it is still on the damp side.

This saves any trouble due to the lining shrinking when the curtains are washed again later, but just for safety's sake slip-stitch the bottom hem temporarily so that adjustments can be made if necessary.

You will find short lengths of material extremely useful for re-covering bedroom chairs and ottomans. Well-covered flower and leaf patterns are good for these, as they "wear clean" and cut out economically.

If you have one of those comfortable fibre tub chairs with a sprung cushion, make the cushion a cover of glaze chintz, piping the boxed border with a colour in a sharp contrast. The newest idea for giving a neat finish to cushion covers is to fasten them with a zipper.

I mention these covers not only for such uses, "What is to be done?" The answer is camouflage the fat! For instance, instead of serving with thick crusts of fat that are quite certain to be left uneaten on the fastidious one's plate, trim off the fat in its raw state and use it to add value to Vienna steaks.

To 1 lb fresh mince, add a small piece of onion (minced) and your scraps of fat, all passed through the mincer. Season the mixture with salt and pepper, then flour your hands and form into round flat cakes about an inch thick.

Fry these slowly, first on one side for 8-10 minutes, then on the other side for a similar time.

Pockets (2 alike)

With grey wool cast on 45 sts., and work in moss st. for 10 rows, dec. at beg. of every row.

Change to stocking web and dec. at beg. of every row until all sts. are off the needles.

Frills

Pocket frills (2 pieces).—With blue wool cast on 54 sts. and work as follows:—

*1st row.—Knit. 2nd row.—Purl. Join in green wool and repeat from * to *.

Join in red wool and repeat from * to *.

Join in yellow wool and repeat from * to *.

Join in grey wool and knit 1 row.

Cast off on next row (wrong side of work).

Front and Neck

Frills (2 pieces)

With blue wool cast on 300 sts. and work in stripes as for pocket frills.

To Make Up

Press all parts with a hot iron, under a damp cloth. Sew up side, shoulder and sleeve seams, making a one-inch dart at front shoulder seams, and easing back shoulder seam to fit.

Plant sleeves at shoulder edge to fit armhole, and insert sleeves. Also make a plant at elbow so that sleeve fits arm snugly. Press all seams. Sew the loose part of neck band to edge of neck.

Gather each 33½ ins. length of frill, by cast off edge, to 23 ins., and join ends. Sew gathered frills to inner edge of moss stitch borders, arranging so that the frills face towards down the fronts and upwards round neck. Sew in zip down the front.

Sew on pockets with one decreased edge in line with lower edge of jumper. Sew on pocket frills to inner edge of moss stitch.

the last two by washing them first, then machine stitch on the right side all round the flower sprays and leaves.

The whole of the design can be quilted in this way, or you could just quilt the more important parts of the pattern, leaving the rest plain.

If you want to make the covers quickly, quilt in diagonal lines of stitching so that the quilting forms an all-over diamond pattern, the lines of stitching being spaced one or one and a half inches apart.

They all look very smart when bordered with contrast cotton braid binding to match your colour scheme. Don't forget that with flowered cushions you could make matching covers for the head and foot ends of an iron bedstead.

Floral cottons are particularly good for bathroom curtains as they do not get saturated with steam in the same way as a thicker material and they are very easily washed and ironed.

One cotton with a glazed surface looked most attractive made up into casement curtains, all edges instead of being hemmed being bound with a contrast colour and the window finished with a plain Lancaster cloth pelmet to match the binding.

Be sure to match the leading colour in the curtains to the general scheme of the bathroom.

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9 sts. to one inch. 10 rows to one inch.



The new Edwardian trend of fashion is reflected in the high neck frill, elbow length puff sleeves and tiny triangular pockets of this blouse jumper. It's quite simple to make, as it's knitted almost entirely in stocking stitch.

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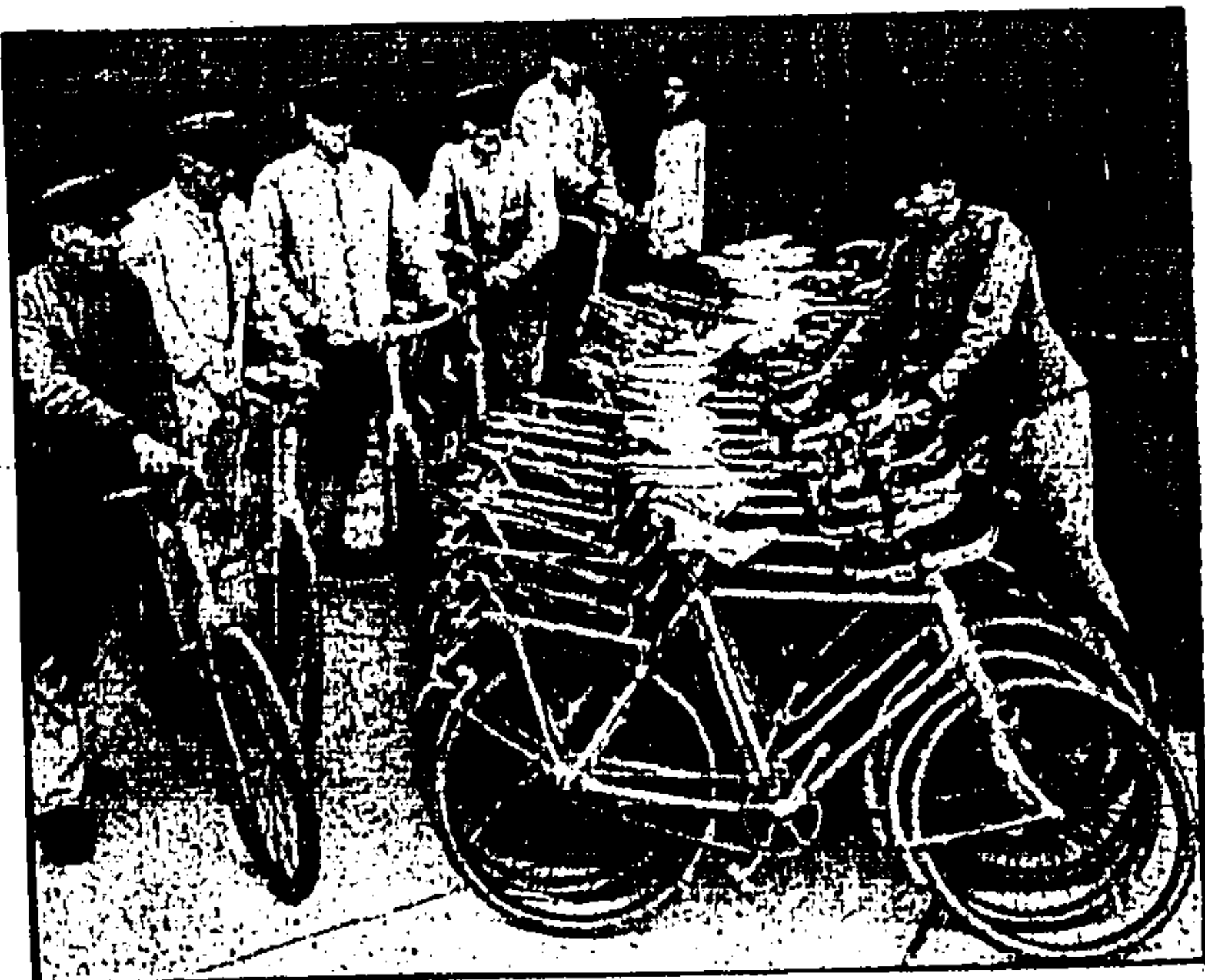
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READY FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Ordered recently by the War Office to stand by, five battalions from crack regiments in the British Army prepared to leave for Czechoslovakia. If they had gone they would have assisted in police duties while the Sudeten territory was being taken over by Germany. Here are men of the 1st Batt. Welsh Guards over-hauling lorries at Wellington Barracks, and (left) stacking bicycles ready for departure.



Scene in Barcelona, Spain, as workmen clear debris in the retail market section, after a bombing raid by 15 insurgent airplanes. Long lines of women were buying supplies when the raiders flew over. Official report gave 31 dead and 112 wounded. This scene might have been anywhere in Europe, but for the peace pact.



Sudeten Germans not only welcomed the Nazi troops that moved into the area, ceded by Czechoslovakia to Germany after the four-power peace parley at Munich, but made quick moves to be identified with the Reich. Here a Nazi youth posts a sign changing a town street name, from Masaryk Street, for the late Czech president, to Hitler Strasse.



With the occupation of Sudetenland by German troops, hundreds of refugees who fled to Germany before war was averted returned to their homes. The group of Sudeten Germans above trudge along as they return to Czechoslovakia.

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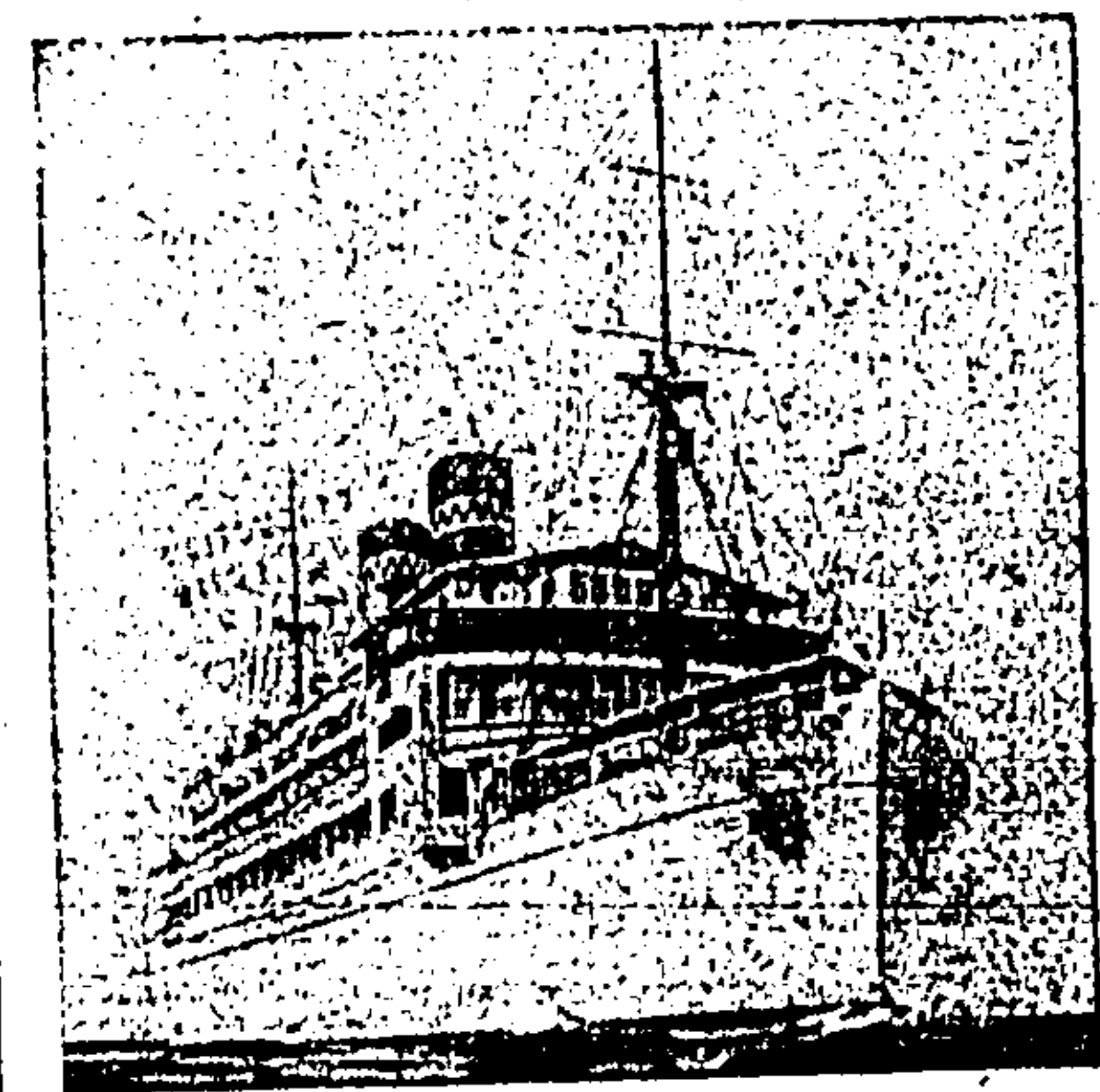
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